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CAPT. SCOTT AND SOUTH POLE EXPLORERS PERISH IN BLIZZARD

TERRA NOVA SPOKEN AT OAMARU TELLS OF EXPLORER'S DEATH

Total Deaths at Present Not Known but Number Believed to Be Sixty Will Be Definitely Learned When Relief Ship Reaches New Zealand Port on Thursday

INTREPID ANTARCTIC EXPLORER REACHES POLE ONE MONTH AFTER AMUNDSEN

Disaster Came as Surprise to London and Cast Over Great Metropolis a Gloom Which Has Been Unequalled Since the Death of King Edward

London, Feb. 10.—The death of Captain Robert F. Scott and the whole of his party who took part in the South Pole expedition is reported in a news agency dispatch received to-day from New Zealand.

Oamaru, N. Z., Feb. 10.—Captain Robert F. Scott and his party were overwhelmed by a blizzard on their return journey from the South Pole. The entire party perished.

They reached the South Pole on the eighteenth of January, 1912.

The news of the appalling disaster which befell Captain Scott and his companions was brought to this port by a signalled message from the Terra Nova, the vessel which had carried the explorer and his expedition to the Antarctic, and which later last year went once again to the South to bring him and his companions back. The total number of deaths involved in the calamity is not exactly known, but it is believed sixty-six scientists and sailors lost their lives.

Captain Scott's party reached the exact point where Raould Amundsen planted the Norwegian flag at the South Pole. They found there the hut constructed and left behind by Amundsen's party.

These facts were recorded in the documents found on the bodies of the explorers when they were recovered.

Christchurch, N. Z., Feb. 10.—The Antarctic steamer Terra Nova, which was supposed to have on board Captain Robert F. Scott and the members of his South Polar expedition, did not stop at Oamaru, as was reported yesterday, but merely signalled as she passed.

The Terra Nova is proceeding to the port of Lyttleton, where she is expected to arrive on Thursday.

London, Feb. 10.—The Terra Nova sailed on June 10, 1910, for New Zealand and the South Pole. It was joined by Captain Robert F. Scott a few days later at Cardiff.

The expedition consisted of twenty-eight officers and scientists, in addition to a crew of twenty-three picked men from the British Royal Navy.

Reports were current at the time the Terra Nova sailed for the Antarctic on December 1, 1912, to bring back the Scott party that some of the members of the relief expedition had expressed grave doubts as to whether Captain Scott and his fellow explorers would ever return. No reason was given for these doubts, but they were freely circulated.

Mrs. Scott left London five weeks ago for New Zealand to meet her husband there.

The last direct word received from Captain Scott himself was brought by the commander of the Terra Nova from the southern regions when she returned to Akaroa, N. Z., on March 31 last year. The brief message was in Captain Scott's own handwriting and said: "I am remaining in the Antarctic for another winter to continue and complete my work."

Captain Scott had shortly before sent back a report to his base at McMurdo Sound, saying that on January 3, 1912, he had reached a point 150 miles from the Pole, and was advancing toward his destination.

The dispatch from Oamaru this morning shows that in fifteen days he covered the remaining 150 miles, having travelled at the rate of ten miles a day.

Captain Scott's main travelling party was to consist of sixteen men besides himself, while groups of four men each were to return at different stages of the journey, leaving Scott and four others to complete the final dash to the Pole. This would indicate that some of the members of the party who had been left at the various bases were not included among the victims of the disaster, and it was they who communicated to the world the fate of the expedition.

Mrs. Scott, now tragically the widow of the British Antarctic explorer, though she is as yet probably unaware of his fate, sailed from San Francisco, February 5, on the Aorangi, for New Zealand, expecting to meet her husband there. Just before her departure she said she had not heard from him in eighteen months, but was confident he would reach New Zealand safely.

The date of Capt. Scott's attainment of the South Pole, January 18, 1912, shows that he reached the goal of his expedition almost exactly one month after Capt. Raould Amundsen, the Norwegian explorer. Capt. Amundsen's report to King Haakon of Norway read: "Pole attained 14-17 December, 1911. All well." The report of Capt. Scott was destined not to be received by the waiting world after his death.

No details came to hand this morning as to how the records of Captain Scott were found, but that he arrived at the Pole on the date mentioned, was definitely known.

The principal members of the expedition besides Capt. Scott were: Lieut. C. R. Evans, R. N., second in command; Dr. E. A. Wilson, chief of the scientific staff, geologist and artist; Lieut. V. L. A. Campbell, R. N., leader of the eastern party; Lieut. H. L. L. Pennell, R. N., magnetic and meteorological work; Lieut. H. E. DeP. Rennick, R. N., of the western party; Lieut. H. R. Bowers, Royal Indian Marine Engineers; Lieut. E. W. Riley, R. N., surgeon; G. M. Levick, R. N., physician and geologist; E. L. Atkinson, R. N., surgeon, bacteriologist, paraistologist; F. R. H. Drake, R. N., secretary; C. H. Meares, in charge of ponies and dogs for the western party; Capt. L. E. G. Oates, Inniskillen Dragoons, in charge of ponies and dogs; Dr. G. C. Simpson, physicist for the western party; T. Griffith Taylor, geologist; E. W. Nelson, biologist for the western party; D. G. Lillie, biologist; A. Cherry Garard, zoologist for the western party; H. G. Ponting, photographer of the western party; B. C. Day, motor engineer of the western party; W. G. Thompson, geologist for the western party; C. S. Wright, chemist for the western party; Boatswain T. Feather, in charge of sledding outfit; Boatswain A. Chetham, of the Terra Nova; W. L. Williams, engineer of the Terra Nova; W. Lashley, assistant engineer of the western party; Chief Steward W. Archer, of the Terra Nova.

A searching expedition recovered the bodies and records of the party. The disaster came as an utter surprise to London and cast a gloom over the

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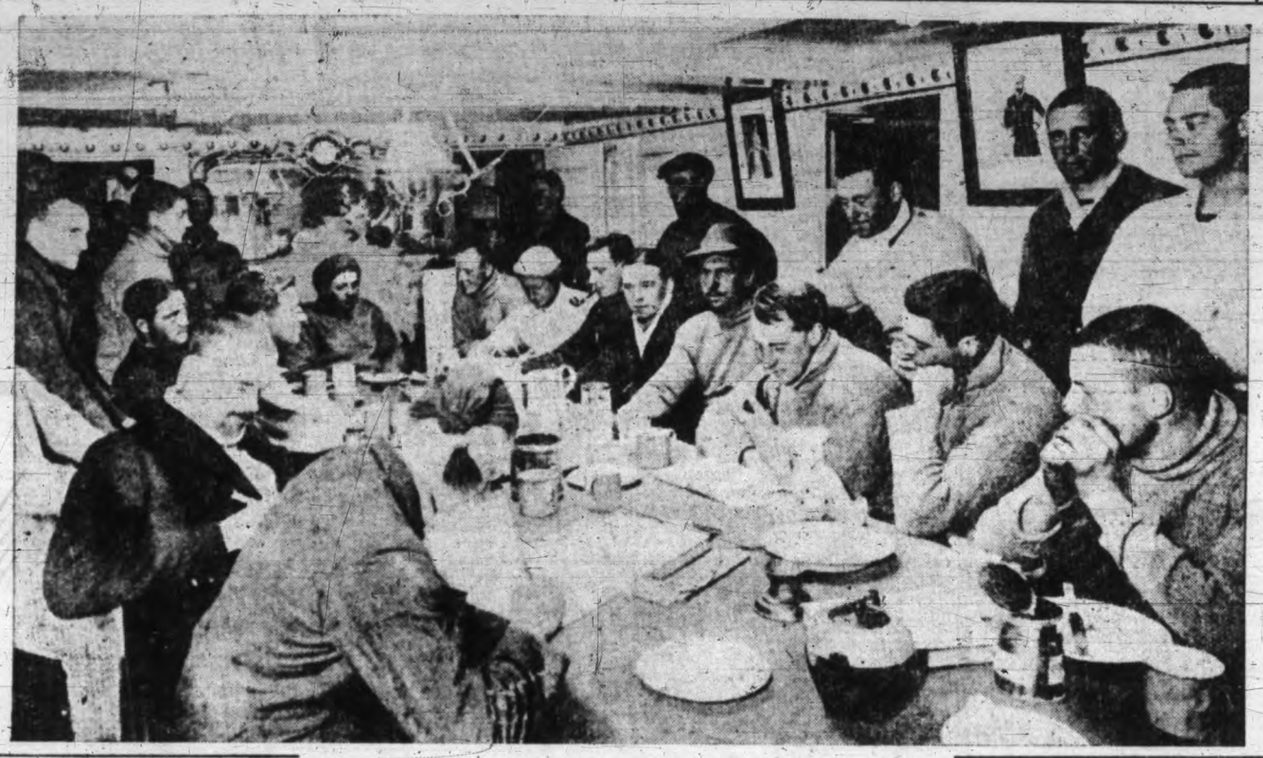
CAPTAIN SCOTT ONCE AT ESQUIMALT STATION

Many old friends in the city will remember Captain Scott when he was a lieutenant in the navy, and associated with the Amphion when she was on this station in the late eighties. He took interest in social events in which the officers shared, and thus came into contact with several of the older residents of the city. He was commissioned to the Amphion in 1889, the year that she brought Lord and Lady Stanley, shortly after the former's accession to office as Governor-General, to Victoria, on November 1, 1889. It will be recalled that on the sixth of that month, while conveying the vice-regal party back to the mainland, the Amphion ran on a rock and had to be brought back to Esquimalt for repairs.

Of course, being a junior officer at the time, the future Antarctic explorer did not occupy a prominent position, but he enjoyed marked popularity. After leaving this station and until he joined the Majestic in 1898 he was out of active naval employment.

THE PARTY OF EXPLORERS PRIOR TO LEAVING FOR THE ANTARCTIC



Captain R. F. Scott (sitting at end of table) and members of the Antarctic expedition who are reported to have perished. The photograph is by the official photographer of the Scott expedition taken on board the Terra Nova.

TAKING ACTION TO KILL BORDEN BILL

BRITISH LEADERS AT WORK WITH FIELDING

Members Are Anxious to Rehabilitate Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Plan

London, Feb. 10.—The Daily Telegraph this morning publishes a startling announcement from its correspondent to the effect that a number of government supporters are taking concerted action to defeat Mr. Borden's naval policy.

These members are anxious to do all in their power to rehabilitate the scheme of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and are working in close association with Hon. W. S. Fielding, who came to this country immediately after the introduction of the Borden naval bill.

The newspaper says that these members of parliament have already seen Premier Asquith and Winston Churchill with a view of prevailing upon them to alter their attitude towards Mr. Borden's scheme.

Their action has already found expression in statements in the ministerial press, it being urged that we should discourage gifts to the British navy and encourage the Dominion to build their own navies.

Ottawa, Feb. 10.—A wide diversity of opinion apparently exists at the capital in regard to the decision of the whips of the two parties, subject to the consent of the two leaders, to have the division on the naval resolution on Thursday next. While the Conservatives are strongly of the opinion that this means that there will be no further serious opposition to the government proposals, the Liberals say that no such definite conclusion should be drawn.

Unofficially it is said that an amendment will be moved calling for the introduction of a redistribution bill and a reference of the questions to the country by way of an election. It is not definitely known, however, that this will be done.

The Evening Free Press, the local opposition organ, on Saturday said: "Although there is a possibility that the first division on the Borden naval policy will be taken in the House of Commons some time next week, probably Thursday, this does not mean that there will be any let-up by the Liberals in the fight against the government's proposals, and for the substitution of a policy for a navy owned, built, controlled and manned by Canadians.

"There has been no caucus of the Liberals, but there has never been any doubt about their firm attitude on this question. Believing the Borden policy is most unwise, both from the Imperial and Canadian standpoint, the Liberal party will exhaust every method to force the government to the country for a mandate at a general election. The announced policy of the Conservatives to take no further part in the debate will not affect the conduct of the Liberals."

On the other hand, the Citizen declares that the backbone of the opposition had been broken, that the party is in low spirits over the speech made on Friday by H. H. McLean.

TROOPS RELEASE GENERAL DIAZ AND CAPTURE MEXICAN CAPITAL

MADERO FORTIFIED IN NATIONAL PALACE

Rebels Victorious After Engagements in City Streets Yesterday

Mexico City, Feb. 10.—President Francisco I. Madero, with his ministers and a strong detachment of loyal troops, are fortified in the national palace, while General Felix Diaz, with a large majority of the regulars behind him, has virtual control of the capital. The army rose in revolt yesterday in Mexico City, took possession of the public buildings, shot down federal adherents in the streets, released General Felix Diaz, leader of the Vera Cruz revolt, from prison, and, falling into line under his banner, virtually captured the Mexican capital.

General Diaz, who is the nephew of the deposed President, Porfirio Diaz, now is at the head of a majority of the capital troops, including most of the artillery, and is in possession of the arsenal in the city and the powder works nearby.

The day was marked by four separate engagements, the most sanguinary of which took place in front of the national palace. But most important was that which terminated in the formal surrender of the troops in the artillery barracks. It is believed that not less than 200 were killed, among whom was General Bernardo Reyes, a strong adherent of Porfirio Diaz and a former secretary of war.

The populace did not know early today whether President Madero had fled from the capital. With a following of loyal troops, said to number 1,000, he took refuge in the national palace yesterday, but it was reported at daybreak that under cover of night he had fled toward the eastern coast, taking his family with him. It was also reported that all of the members of his cabinet had resigned.

The report of his flight was given credence, although it was without confirmation. His decision to flee from the capital was said to be due to General Blanquet's refusal to stand by him.

General Blanquet arrived last night with a small portion of his troops, supposedly loyal to Madero, but he refused to fight against General Felix Diaz.

Since the arrival of Blanquet's force, the bridges between the capital and Toluca have been burned.

The attack on the national palace found the government not altogether unprepared. In the interim between the release of General Diaz and General Reyes from prison, Gustavo Madero, brother of the president, and Governor Garza, of the federal district, learned of the plans of the rebels.

The minister of war and General Villar made hasty preparations to guard the palace. Riding at the head of their troops, Generals Diaz and Reyes approached from the east into Zocalo, the big square in front of the palace. The invading forces assumed positions around the square, which soon was clouded with smoke from their rifles. Immediately from the palace came an answering fire. The defenders were using rifles and machine guns.

From the west could be seen approaching the force headed by President Madero. As it approached the rebels retired into a side street.

Thirty minutes later street fighting began in the neighborhood, but lasted only a short time. Neither side appeared to be ready to press its advantage, but just before noon General Diaz led his command, numbering 1,000, on a wide detour, in an effort to reach the arsenal.

When the fighting in the Zocalo ceased ambulances of the Red and White Cross picked up the dead and succored the wounded. The plaza, an area of four city blocks, was strewn with bodies of men and horses. Within the palace there were few victims, but Colonel Morelos, one of the most loyal of Madero's adherents, was killed.

General Gregorio Ruiz, two captains and three lieutenants were executed in the patio of the national palace. It is officially reported that this was by order of the government, but another story is that they were killed by a detachment of their own men because they opposed their joining the revolt. Added to this is the report that these mutinous troops were overpowered and disarmed.

Diaz succeeded in capturing the arsenal after a strong resistance by the federals. A large number of rurales and mounted police then went over to his cause. Later an artillery company from Tacubaya with field guns rode into the arsenal grounds shouting for Diaz. It is reported that revolutionary movements have begun in other places and the Zapatistas are said to be fighting a short distance south of the capital.

The killing of General Bernardo Reyes, always a progressive, removes one of the most bitter and uncompromising opponents of the Madero government. For over a year he had been in prison charged with treason in fomenting an uprising against Madero. He had never been tried, and as late as last January it was reported that the government was in a quandary as to what should be done with him.

Stories are rife that President Madero has fled from the city, headed for some port on the east coast, while in other quarters it is declared that he has acceded to the peremptory demand of Diaz voiced last night, that he at once resign the presidency. Neither of these reports could be confirmed.

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MONTENEGRINS TAKE SCUTARI POSITION

DECISIVE VICTORY AGAINST THE TURKS

Western Position Under Fire Three Days — Enormous Losses on Battlefield

Podgoritza, Feb. 10.—The Montenegrin army besieging the Turkish fortress of Scutari carried the great Bardan Joli Hill by assault at 10.30 this morning after several hours' sever fighting. The capture cost the victors 2,500 men in killed and wounded. The Turks left 4,000 dead and wounded on the field of battlee.

The infantry came to such close quarters that hand-to-hand fighting was general along the line. Bardan Joli Hill dominates Scutari from the eastern side, and the Montenegrins are mounting siege guns on the heights to bombard the principal points of the city. Fighting has gone on since early morning all around the city. The Turkish defenders are disputing the ground with more determination.

A Montenegrin attack on the heights of Tarabosch, which dominate Scutari on the West, has been going on for three days. This onslaught is believed to have been as sanguinary as the engagement at Bardan Joli.

Sofia, Feb. 10.—The rout of the Turkish army before Bulair on Saturday is said here to have been complete. The Turks are reported to have suffered enormous losses. The field of battle was littered with flags, field guns, machine guns and rifles left in the flight by the panic-stricken Ottoman troops. The Turkish dead and wounded were lying thickly everywhere. Twenty officers were killed. The war office says: "The number of men killed among the Bulgarians is not yet known, but it appears to have been insignificant."

BAKERS' STRIKE NOW PROBABLE IN LONDON

London, Feb. 10.—The strike of London bakers which has been threatened for the last three or four weeks is now believed to be inevitable unless a satisfactory conference is held shortly to settle the dispute.

It is estimated that, should the trouble break and the master bakers go on strike, London would be breadless within three weeks, and the seriousness of such a strike is beginning to be realized, with the result of the public are demanding that the grievances of the breadmakers be heard immediately.

MRS. CLEVELAND WEDS.

Princeton, N. J., Feb. 10.—Mrs. Grover Cleveland and Thomas Joseph Preston were married at 10.30 o'clock this morning by President John Grier Hibben of Princeton University, in Prospect, the executive residence of the university.

No preliminary announcement had been made and the utmost simplicity was observed in the ceremony.

JAPANESE PREMIER STONED IN STREETS

OFFICERS ATTACKED AND FIRES STARTED

Riots in Tokio Follow Resignation of Prince Taro Katsura This Morning

SAIONJI SUMMONED TO SEE THE EMPEROR

Ferment in Political Circles is Followed by Adjournment of Diet

Tokio, Feb. 10.—Prince Taro Katsura, premier and minister of foreign affairs of Japan, was stoned to-day by a mob in the streets. The stoning of Katsura came immediately after he had offered to the Emperor his resignation and that of the other members of the cabinet. Several newspaper offices were also attacked by the crowds, which attempted to set fire to the buildings. There were many riots throughout the city, in the course of which a number of policemen and civilians were injured. The excitement continues.

Marquis Kimmochi Saionji, former premier and now leader of the Constitutional party, was summoned to the palace by his majesty immediately after the receipt of Katsura's resignation.

The cabinet's action is the result of the firm attitude in the Diet of the Constitutionalists and Liberals who refused to follow the example of Saionji in the withdrawal of the recent vote of lack of confidence in the government. The cabinet's only step to meet this opposition was an immediate dissolution of the Diet, but the minister of marine, Admiral Baron Minoru Saito, refused to sign the recommendation for this action and the resignation of the cabinet became imperative.

Intense excitement prevails in political circles throughout Japan as a result of Prince Katsura's fight for supremacy. His latest coup developed last night and the emperor personally requested Marquis Saionji to withdraw his resolution of lack of confidence in the government and not to oppose Prince Katsura's work as premier.

Marquis Saionji and several leaders of the constitutional party consented but some of the irreconcilables, including Yukio Ozaki, ex-mayor of Tokio, have refused, thus splitting the party.

The dissolution of the Diet, which was threatened, now may be avoided. This morning the Diet buildings are surrounded by police for the protection of the members.

The Diet adjourned to-day for three days after exciting scenes last night. So great was the crowd which gathered outside of the Diet building that the cordon of police had difficulty in handling it. There were several clashes in which the police wounded three persons.

NAVY LEAGUE HEARS SIR JOSEPH WARD ON DOMINIONS' DEFENCES

London, Feb. 10.—The Navy League yesterday entertained Sir Joseph Ward, ex-premier of New Zealand, at a luncheon, during which the relation of the Dominions to the Mother Country was discussed.

In responding to the toast of his health, Sir Joseph said that he looked forward to the time when the Imperial fleet would attain such perfection and become so effective that other nations would hesitate to try conclusions with the British Empire.

Col. Allen, minister of defence for New Zealand, spoke of the need of co-operation between England and the colonies.

He paid a tribute to the great patriotism and sacrifice of the people of the Australian Commonwealth, whom, he said, had spent $22,500,000 during one year on naval defence for 4,500,000 people, thus taxing each citizen $5 for defence in order to carry out the request made by the British government at the last Imperial Conference that the Dominions look after their own defence.

WANTS TO SEGREGATE TUBERCULAR INDIANS

Ottawa, Feb. 10.—Dr. Alfred Thompson, member for the Yukon, has asked the government to take steps to segregate all the Indians in the Yukon who are tubercular. Official reports say that from 4 to 10 per cent. of the Indians in the Yukon are suffering from consumption, and it is believed that if these were separated from the other Indians and from the whites, improved conditions would result.

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LAND SCHEME THE PRINCIPAL POINT

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Truth About Feudal System in Modern England is to Be Exposed

London, Feb. 10.—Arising out of David Lloyd George's speech on the land problem, the Daily News' parliamentary correspondent now outlines some of the main features of the chancellor's policy for the regeneration of rural and urban life. The Acland committee, appointed to investigate the problem, are now preparing the report, and, according to the Daily News, have abundant evidence available to justify the following forecast of the reform scheme:

The statutory establishment of a minimum wage of at least one pound weekly for agricultural laborers.

Every laborer who requires a cottage shall have one with a plot of land independent of the farmer or landlord.

As a consequence these reforms in farming have to be placed on a scientific basis, including the extension of the co-operative principle.

For urban conditions rating reform on a large scale must be tackled when the present departmental inquiry into the relations between the Imperial and local finances is concluded.

The Daily News dispels the idea of the Conservative press that the land scheme was shelved owing to the resistance in the cabinet, and declares the chancellor's pronouncement on Friday means that a very drastic business organization of the land crusade is complete, but legislation at the coming session is not expected; in fact, the land measures are not likely to be passed during the present parliament. It is a mandate for the next parliament that will be sought by the chancellor on the land, wages and housing programme, which will then occupy the House of Commons for several years. In the meantime public opinion must be instructed, and this is Mr. Lloyd George's immediate task. Tremendous opposition, says the Daily News, is likely to be encountered from the landed Tories of the House of Lords, which will do its very worst. The chancellor, however, is not daunted by the magnitude of his task. He is convinced that the supreme aim of Liberalism must be in those coming years to supplement freedom of trade by freedom of opportunity—a chance of an inalienable home for every family in the English country.

With reference to the Acland committee's report, the Daily News' parliamentary correspondent says:

"The truth about the feudal system as it survives in the countryside will be ruthlessly exposed without bias or exaggeration. Indeed, from what is learned of the evidence, exaggeration would not be easy concerning the condition in the English villages, which will prove far greater than Mr. Lloyd George deemed conceivable."

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BARON'S SON SIDES WITH SYNDICALISTS

Hon. William J. Montague Armstrong Writes to Newspaper to Say So

London, Feb. 10.—The son and heir of Baron Armstrong, the Hon. William J. Montague Armstrong, to-day avows himself a syndicalist, in a communication to a newspaper at Newcastle-on-Tyne, where his father's great shipbuilding yards are located.

In the course of his article, Mr. Armstrong affirms that the masses of the people are seething with justified discontent. Their wages are low, he says, and their rents high, while caste distinctions rend in twain the unity of all nations.

Mr. Armstrong, who is not yet of full age, as he will not be 21 until October of this year, favors the use of the political weapon for remedying social evils, but says that if constitutional means fail, he advocates a general strike as the only alternative.

WARSHIPS PROCEED TO SOUTH AMERICA

Action of United States Due to Ominous Reports of Probable Revolution in Republics

Washington, D. C., Feb. 10.—Preparations for sending five United States men-of-war to both coasts of Central America to meet any emergency which may arise there went forward rapidly to-day.

The gunboat Annapolis, her crew augmented from the South Dakota and Colorado, started last night from San Diego, Cal., for Amapala, Honduras, to stand guard on the Pacific coast side. The Nashville, at New Orleans, put out for Puerto Cortez, Honduras, on the Atlantic side early this morning. The cruiser Des Moines, now at Guantanamo, the Cuban naval coaling station, has been ordered to be at Bluefields, Nicaragua, not later than February 15. The Denver, which has been standing by distressed Americans threatened by attack from Mexican rebels at Acapulco, will drop down to Acajutla, Salvador. It is practically decided that these four ships will be augmented by the gunboat Tacoma, now at Boston.

From its confidential sources in Central America, the state department, especially interested in the preservation of peace among the little republics, has been receiving ominous and speculative reports of deposed dictators and revolutionists meeting here and there, plotting trouble. While the presence of American warships would be intended principally to provide refuge for Americans and any other foreign citizens, there is no doubt that marines and bluejackets might be used in the interior if a situation should arise paralleling that in Nicaragua in the recent revolution, when American troops were called on to open a railroad and engage the rebels in battle.

ENGLAND NOW KNOWS OF FOOTBALL WAGERS

Gambling House Has Profit of $200,000 in Year and Player Wins $5,000

Newcastle-on-Tyne, Feb. 10.—Sensational evidence was given at the local police court to-day when nine men answered a charge of gambling. The case was the result of a raid by the police on what was classed as a small gambling house.

During the course of evidence it was shown that the promoters of the gambling joint made huge profits, no less than $35,000 being the total profit made in the last four months.

Huge transactions on the league football matches were made at this place, in which it was shown that the footballers themselves participated, one professional making $5,000. The shop itself during the past year has made a profit of $200,000. The nine men were committeed for trial.

MOVING PICTURES INCREASE FICTION

London, Feb. 10.—One of the direct results of the invasion of England by the moving picture films is the fact that there is a greatly increased demand for fiction at the public libraries.

This announcement was made to-day at a meeting of the libraries' board, when the secretary reported that just as the moving picture houses increased, so did the request for light reading become greater, particularly in London.

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FRAUD CHARGED IN THE WORLD BUILDING

RECEIVER IS ASKED FOR BY PLAINTIFF

Claims for $210,000 Issued Against Contractors on Account of Steel Used

Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 10.—That the World building on Pender street has been built of lighter steel frame construction than that shown in the plans and specifications, and is thereby reduced in value to the extent of $150,000, is the effect of a statement made by the solicitor of the World Building Limited, in a writ issued against J. A. Coughlan & Sons, contractors, and W. T. Whiteway, architect for the building. A claim for $150,000 damages, an additional claim of $60,000 alleged to be the difference in value of the steel specified and the steel supplied, and damages for extra work required, are made in the writ.

Charges of fraudulent collusion between the architect and the contractors are made, it being alleged that the original plans were destroyed and new ones substituted without the knowledge of the World Building, Limited.

On December 27, 1911, the World Building, Limited, is alleged to have given J. A. Coughlan & Sons, Limited, a mortgage of $60,000 on its property, $40,000 of which was for stated indebtedness on account of the building, and $20,000 for a bonus. The firm of Coughlan & Sons is understood to have guaranteed the payment of some of the smaller contractors. The writ asks that an account be made of all the financial transactions between the parties, and that Coughlan & Sons be restrained from instituting foreclosure proceedings against the World building or from transferring or assigning its mortgage. A receiver is also asked for. The Coughlan mortgage is understood to be distinct from a registered mortgage of several hundred thousands of dollars held by an American local concern.

SOUTH AFRICA HAS NEW BOTHA CABINET

Fischer Joins but Finds Position Untenable and is Ready to Resign Again

Capetown, Feb. 10.—General Botha has succeeded in reconstructing his ministry for the Union of South Africa. General Hertzog is no longer a member of it, as his policy in a nutshell is "South Africa for the South Africans." Mr. Fischer, the other Free State representative in the original Botha administration, consented to join the new one after a week of consideration. To-day there is a rumor that he has already found his position impossible and intends to resign not only his place in the cabinet but also his seat in parliament. However that may be, he is at the moment back in his post as minister of the interior and of lands. The two portfolios which General Hertzog held, those of justice and native affairs, have gone to Mr. Sauer.

The prime minister himself takes again the ministry of agriculture, which he resigned to Mr. Sauer during the last ministerial crisis. Colonel Leuchars, who represented Natal in the last ministry, and whose resignation forced on the late situation, has refused to return to office, and has been succeeded by Sir Thomas Watt, member for one of the Natal constituencies, who becomes minister for public works and for posts and telegraphs. The latter portfolio was held by Sir David Graaff, who remains in the ministry, but now holds no definite office.

The full list of the new ministry is as follows: General Botha, prime minister and minister for agriculture; General Smutz, minister for finance and defence; Mr. Sauer, minister for justice and native affairs; Mr. Burton, minister for railways and harbors; Mr. Fischer, minister for the interior and lands; Mr. Malan, minister for education and mines; Sir Thomas Watt, minister for posts and public works; Sir D. Graaff, minister without portfolio.

C. P. R. PROFITS.

Montreal, Feb. 10.—Gains of approximately 18 per cent. in gross and 11 per cent. in net earnings were made by the Canadian Pacific Railway for the half-year ended December 31 last.

In December, 1911, the net profits were $4,105,730.26, and from July 1 to December 31, 1911, the net profits were $24,470,247.64. The gain in net profits is, therefore, for December, $289,989.25, and from July 1 to December 31, $2,660,901.30.

TO VISIT CANADA.

New Zealand Athletes Will Compete Here This Year.

Sydney, N.S.W., Feb. 10.—It is likely that an English Rugby team, composed of players from the Northern Union, will visit Sydney next season under the auspices of the New South Wales League. The league is now awaiting a reply from the English officials. The council of the New Zealand Amateur Athletic Association is in communication with the Canadian A. A. U. with a view to having a track and field team visit the Dominion next December. Arrangements for the visit of English oarsmen next summer have been completed by the Australian Association and formal acceptance of the invitation extended to the Englishmen is expected shortly by the Australian officials.

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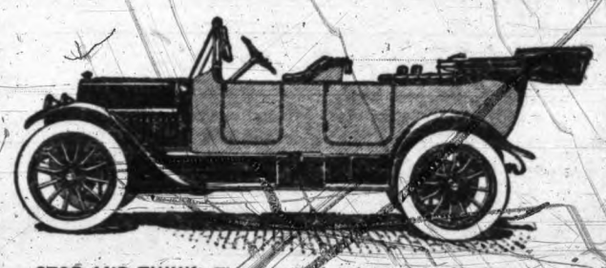

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Large Congregation Hears Eloquent Address by New Spiritual Adviser

Last evening a very large congregation, which crowded the building to its utmost capacity, listened to Rev. John Gibson Inkster's first sermon in the First Presbyterian church, of which he was inducted pastor last Friday evening.

Speaking eloquently from the text: "Brethren, I count not myself to have apprehended; but this one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before, I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus." (Philippians iii., 13 and 14). Rev. Mr. Inkster sketched the character of the Apostle Paul who had written these words, and the inward struggle which he had undergone before he decided that he would have to do these things.

"Heaven for Paul," said the speaker, "was not some place, undefined and of the imagination, in the distant future. Heaven for him was here and now, and consisted in the glorifying of God both here and hereafter. But in seeking to do that one thing he discovered that there were certain things behind him which he would have to forget, and certain things in front of him toward which he would have to press to win the prize of the high calling of God."

Continuing, Mr. Inkster referred to verses 5 and 6 in the same chapter of the Epistle, where Paul himself told the things which he deemed necessary to cast aside and forget; Circumcised the eighth day of the stock of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, an Hebrew of the Hebrews; as touching the law, a Pharisee; concerning zeal, persecuting the church; touching the righteousness which is in the law, blameless.

Paul's pride in these things was enormous. In circumcision he had been connected with the church of his father; of the stock of Israel he was intensely proud of his nationality as an Israelite, and the forgetting of this would be the uprooting of one of his much-cherished illusions; of the tribe of Benjamin, the most highly esteemed of the Israelitish tribes, he would have to throw aside all pride of family; a Hebrew of the Hebrews and a Pharisee, his great pride in his educational advantages would have to be forgotten; concerning zeal, he would suffer in giving up his church; and touching his blamelessness, his autocratic spirit would be humbled.

Are Hindrances.

But why did he want to give these up? Not because they were bad in themselves, but because pride in them hindered him from leading the perfect life of service to God. It might not be, continued the new pastor, absolutely wrong to play bridge or even to play for prizes or points; but these things hindered a person from leading a life of Christian and Christ-like service. These things should be left behind with gambling, intemperance and other habits which stood in the way of man's influence for good.

Paul, who was a man of powerful intellectual abilities and great influence and authority, wanted to know Christ, and he realized that even the forgetting of these things would not be sufficient, and that he must reach out and touch Christ himself. His reasons he told in the tenth verse of the Epistle: "That I may know Him, and the power of His resurrection and the fellowship of His sufferings."

Before meeting the risen Christ, Paul had had an Old Testament Christianity, which had no rooted faith in immortality to assure him of life after death. But after meeting the risen Lord he felt the power of the resurrection, and realized the doctrine of the person of Christ; the doctrine of the resurrection of Christ, and the doctrine of the atonement of Christ—the three great things, concluded the speaker, on which the church of Christ has stood through all the ages, and would continue to stand through the ages to come.

DIES ON STAGE.

Noted 'Cellist Van Biene, Passed Away While Playing at Hippodrome, Brighton.

On January 23, on the stage of the Hippodrome, at Brighton, England, there passed away quietly, almost as it in a pause in his playing, the noted actor-composer and 'cellist, Auguste Van Biene, known the world over to theatre-goers as the star in "The Broken Melody."

This play, in which Van Biene was seen by more than six thousand audiences, was superseded by "The Master Musician," both plays affording the actor-musician an opportunity to display his art as 'cellist. In The Master Musician his numbers always closed with "Home Sweet Home," and it was just after playing this on the Brighton stage that Van Biene collapsed in his chair. The curtain was lowered a little more hurriedly than usual, and when the stage manager approached Van Biene he found him dead, the audience never suspecting the truth.

Van Biene's career was a romantic one. Born in Holland in 1850, he went to England when quite a young boy. At the age of seventeen he was discovered by Sir Michael Costa playing his 'cello in Hanover Square, London. Remarking the boy' genius, he asked him why he was playing in the gutter.

"Because I am hungry," was the reply.

Sir Michael took him to his home, and, after testing him at reading, gave him a place in the Covent Garden orchestra. Van Biene made a vow then that, on the anniversary of the day of his deliverance, he would go back to the streets and play. The money which was liberally contributed on these occasions went into the Music Hall Benevolent Fund.

The Broken Melody, composed by Van Biene, was in part a story of the 'cellist's early struggles, the haunting melody which runs through the play having been composed on a train while he was journeying between Brighton and London.

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DOMINION FINANCES

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JAPANESE COLONIAL POLICY.

The colonial policy of Japan was the subject of some interesting reflections by Dr. Wertheimer in a recent lecture before the German Colonial Society in Berlin. Dr. Wertheimer contended that this policy differed from that of the great powers of Europe in that, whilst the latter sought for oversea colonies for the purposes of trade, etc., Japan aimed at the creation of a new great Japanese Empire and the addition to the motherland of members of similar kind and value. "Great Japan," which had as its object the supply of its own industrial, agrarian and economic need, was to have middle and southern Japan with Korea as a rice store and the Hokkaido as a corn granary. Formosa would furnish sugar and salt, whilst industry was to be divided over the entire territory. On the other hand, Manchuria coal and the timber of the Hokkaido would serve the export department, and for the support of Japanese influence on the Chinese and Indian coasts.

The lecturer stated that only the most able Japanese officials were sent to the colonies. The acquisition of Manchuria and the strengthening of her position on the mainland was, he added, the next object of Japan. Speaking of the various colonies and their progress, Dr. Wertheimer noted incidentally the great task of afforestation which the Japanese had before them in Korea, and said that in the last four years the Japanese government had had 5,000,000 trees planted there. As regards Manchuria, he said that a sage agrarian policy aimed at the economic independence of the population there.

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VICTORY AND DEATH.

The melancholy news from the Southern Pacific will send a throb of sorrow around the world. The British breast will be stirred by two emotions—deep sadness over the loss of Captain Scott and his gallant band; pride that the Ice King could not prevent them from planting the Union Jack in the very heart of his citadel. For they had reached the pole and were returning to home and glory when the merciless blizzard struck them down. We have their records; we know how far they succeeded, but, after all, how insignificant these seem when we realize the harrowing tribute that lies upon the altar of their success. The calls of science are peremptory and must be obeyed, but what a weight of tragedy and suffering is thrown into the scale to balance her achievements!

History records other heroic sacrifices to exploration in the polar seas. Nearly seventy years ago Sir John Franklin and his daring company sailed for the far north and left their bones on the coast of King William Island. Thirty-three years later Lieutenant de Long of the United States Navy and his expedition met death when their vessel, the Jeanette, was crushed in an ice pack off the coast of Siberia. But these expeditions had scarcely begun their work. Captain Scott and his men had practically finished. It is that which makes this latest disaster doubly pathetic. They had won the victory, but were denied the fruits of it.

Captain Scott was an experienced polar explorer. In 1901 he sailed for the Antarctic in command of a well-equipped expedition on the steamer Discovery. Most of the cost was borne by the British government, assisted by L. W. Longstaff, the Royal Geographical Society and A. C. Harmsworth (Lord Northcliffe). In the party was Lieut. Shackelton, who subsequently distinguished himself in a similar venture. Captain Scott discovered and named King Edward Island and Mts. Longstaff and Markham, two great peaks in 83 degrees south latitude. This was the farthest south penetrated by any explorer up to that time, and the party were unable to go any farther.

The present expedition left England in 1910. It was promoted largely by the gallant naval officer's own exertions, aided by a government grant. He had a carefully selected crew and highly competent staff. All have perished.

THE COAL INQUIRY AND DISPUTE

The duties of the commissioner appointed by the government to inquire into the coal situation are clearly outlined. He is to investigate the production, transportation and distribution of this commodity. He will have to deal with the mechanical and economic phases of the industry, and if the inquiry is to be anything more than an opiate to dull the agitation which has resulted in his appointment it must be searching and thorough. Without offering any disparagement of the commissioner's ability and zeal, we submit that the task is too formidable for one man. Mr. Burns is a barrister whose calling may specially qualify him to deal with certain features of the industry, but in the very nature of things he cannot be expected to familiarize himself fully with the details of coal production without the assistance of those skilled in mining. He should have associated with him in the inquiry men technically versed in the work. Accurate information as to the initial cost of producing coal will have an important bearing upon the report he will have to present to the government.

There should be no misconception as to the nature of the task assigned to Mr. Burns. His appointment has nothing to do with the labor trouble at Cumberland except so far as it affects the general situation of the coal supply of the province. The government has steadily refused to inquire into the dispute which has existed in the mining centres of the Canadian Collieries, Ltd., for the last four or five months. Why has it not done so? These mines are public utilities, and for that reason the public have a direct interest in the economic circumstances prevailing in them. We admit this by incorporating in our statutes laws for the regulation of the industry. We have inspectors to see that these laws are carried out. The premier says the paternal functions of the government should not be applied to this strike situation; but why should they not be? Has he drawn the line with the "paternal functions" of the government when the big interests concerned in other public utilities have approached him for special concessions for which the people have to dig deep into their pockets and pledge their credit? Even now he has under consideration a demand for further subventions from a company already liberally subsidized. It is not enough to say that the present trouble is merely a private squabble with which the government has nothing to do. The public nature of the coal industry is recognized by the statutes of his own making.

In a letter to the Times on Saturday Parker Williams pointed out that the report of the mining inspector showed that the amount of air passing through the mine complained of at Extension was less than the minimum required by the mine law. Mottishaw, the man appointed by the miners under the act to report upon the condition of the mines for the protection of the men who risk their lives underground, said there was gas in one of the workings. We are informed that Mottishaw was dismissed on the ground that he was an "agitator." The miners allege that his dismissal was due to his zeal in their behalf, and left their work. Does not the premier think that the "paternal functions" of the government should be extended to cover an inquiry into these charges? If ever there was a case in which a government might well err on the side of arbitrary interference it is where thousands of men are engaged in perhaps the most dangerous occupation in the world. It might take the chance of doing a wealthy corporation an injustice in satisfying itself and the public as to the merits of the situation. The corporation is not a defenceless infant fed with a spoon. It usually is a well developed specimen with a healthy appetite and a large thirst, particularly for water.

We do not favor the wholesale appointment of commissions by any government. Very often they are political expedients to gain time to avoid adopting what governments consider politically undesirable measures. But here we have miners charging that there has been discrimination against one of their number by the company because in the performance of a statutory duty he reported the existence of gas in a coal mine where, of all places, the greatest safety precautions must be taken. The report of the mine inspector admits, according to the premier, that he ordered certain regulations to be "more strictly" observed. Yet there is to be no inquiry. Is it because the Canadian Collieries, Ltd., have insisted that there should be none? Is the government so helpless in the paralyzing grip of the interests who control this and many other provincial enterprises that it dare not disobey? Appoint a commission, and let us have the facts. If the company is in the right, it has nothing to fear. If the men are in the right, it will be the duty of the government to see that its laws are not callously disregarded.

GLORIOUS WAR!

The Times has had occasion to allude to the utterances of certain militant apostles of the Prince of Peace who hold that the Gospel they preach contains no mandate for the sheathing of the sword. The clerics in question profess their belief that war is not wholly evil. They contend that it brings into action certain virtues that are in danger of becoming dormant in the absence of regular periodic outbreaks of blood-letting. Our opinion is that possibly if these martially-inclined preachers were sent to the frontiers of the Balkan states at the present time to look upon war in all its realities they might be inclined to use their pulpits for better purposes. Robert W. Service, the Scottish-Canadian poet, who has roughed it with the toughest in the Yukon, and who is now in the Balkans representing the Toronto Star, writes as follows:

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Canada has less than eight million people, and the fact that they are able to exist under such a huge burden of taxation is a striking commentary on the natural wealth of the country. An attempt is being made at Ottawa to increase this tax. Numerous deputations of manufacturers have demanded an advance in the tariff which would only have the effect of placing a heavier burden on the consumer. Canada is now at the economic cross-roads. Any revision of the taxation machinery should be downwards.

We direct attention to the report of the year's operations of the North American Life Assurance Company, a summary of which appears elsewhere in this issue. In point of amount of new business issued, 1912 easily ranks first in the company's long history of thirty-two years. New policies amounted to $7,630,336, in increase of $1,500,910 over those for 1911. The volume of policies on the company's books now runs close to $30,000,000. During the year $422,000 was paid to the beneficiaries of deceased policyholders, bringing up the total death claim payments since organization to the large sum of $4,969,220. The North American Life has always been noted for its prompt payment of death claims. In the matter of profits to policyholders, payments made by the company during the year are stated to compare favorably with those made by many of the other companies operating in Canada. The amount thus disbursed during the year 1912 was $166,000.

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In the article on Sir Donald Mann by Augustus Bridle, which we published on Saturday, appears the following: "Picture D. D. Mann, D. D., Sunday morning, top hat and long black coat, gloves and a cane; impressively ascending into the vestry of a big stone church; organ softly playing; congregation shuffling in; shakes hands with an elder and turns up the hymns for the day; enters the pulpit and——." Speaking frankly, we cannot picture it. We have tried continuously since the article appeared and have failed miserably.

HOW THEY LOVE EACH OTHER.

Ottawa Free Press.

Here's Hon. Mr. Foster rebuking his fellow-minister, Hon. Mr. White, in the House; half the Ontario Tories at loggerheads with Sir James Whitney over tax reform; Col. Sam Hughes and a prominent Tory editor in a slander suit; a dozen Tory members and the finance members violently disagreeing over the bank bill, and others. And the only really big Tory who remains unmoved is Sir Richard McBride.

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A POLITICAL PARALLEL.

Ottawa Citizen.

The progressive Conservative in Ontario finds himself in something like the same condition as that of an old darky down south. A friend called to see him, and found him rocking to an fro in a curious way. "Is you sick?" he asked. "No, I ain't sick," he replied. "Then why, fo' de lan sake, does you move dat way all de time?" inquired the friend. He paused to explain: "Dat good for nothin Bill Botts sol' me a watch, and if I stops a movin', dat watch won't go!" There is nothing the matter with the Citizen's liver, thank you. It is only trying to make the provincial political timepiece go.

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HON. HUDIBRAS.

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Hon. George E. Foster in his attitude on the Canadian navy—and indeed on everything else he discusses—qualifies as the modern Hudibras:

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Many Fine Examples of Women's Costumes

Lots of the strictly tailored costumes, some with square cut fronts and others in the cut-away style, are here. One of the chief features is the 28-inch coat with one, two or three buttons, and the many new ideas expressed in the long lapels.

The materials are chiefly the plain and hair line serges, worsteds, fancy suitings, Bedford cords in plain and shot effects, and various new materials that have a distinctly novel and pleasing effect. Some of these have collars and lapels faced with fancy materials, some have dashes of braid, and the balance are strictly tailored. The skirts come in quite a variety of styles. Some are plain, others plaited or show panels down the back, while another style has a wide tuck down the back and front and from one to three tucks on either side.

The most prevalent colors are navy blue, black, black and white in a variety of forms, greys, fawns and browns.

A Very Attractive Line of Novelty Costumes

It is impossible to give you an accurate idea of the varied styles that are to be seen at this store. One thing is sure, and that is the fact that the artists have created a new record for good taste.

Some of the coats are cut with a raised waist line that gives the garment the Peplum effect, others have a graceful cut away effect graduating from 26 inches at the front to 36 inches at the back, while many more have shaped panels starting at, or near the waist line.

There are dozens of pleasing variations from which you can choose. One notable feature is a new, flat fitting collar showing long points in front and resembles the Robespierre style. Another feature is the buttons with centres to match the trimmings on the costume and the other rims made of the same material as the body of the garment.

Pipings of a contrasting color, small and large fancy buttons, and a variety of fancy materials are the prominent trimmings.

Our costumes in the new styles are marked at prices starting as low as 15.00 and ranging up to $50

The New Spring Coats Are a Treat to See and the Prices Are Most Reasonable

These quarter coats will prevail this season, but the woman who prefers a full length garment will find a fine assortment from which she can make her choice. Many of them show a graceful cut away front and the long, rolling collars and revere faced with a material of contrasting color is another feature that makes them entirely different from the late season's styles.

The long coats come with neatly belted backs and both the loose and semi-fitting styles are well represented. Some show a high waist-line and pipings of a contrasting color is a popular form of trimming.

Most of the coats have a long lapel effect, and striped materials seem to be much in favor. The materials are covert cloths, serges, worsteds, cords, tweed effects and various new materials with a novel appearance.

All sizes are here and the prices range from $12.50 up to $35.00

Opening Up Spring Outing Hats Daily

It is beginning to look like spring in our Millinery Department. Case after case of new goods are being opened up every day, and as the models are coming from all of the world's fashion centres, you can depend on seeing a representative group.

New shapes, colors and styles of trimming are here in such a variety of effective and pleasing styles that it is impossible to describe them and do them justice in this announcement, but we invite you to visit the department and see them for yourself.

You'll find our prices as reasonable as ever, and our lines ranging from $4.50 up to $10.00 are beauties.

A Very Fine Assortment of Silk and Brocaded Silk Waists at $5.75—All New and Beautiful Spring Styles

It looks as if the Robespierre, and modifications of this popular style, are to lead the way this season, but judging by the pretty models that have appeared up to the present time, few women will regret the fact that Dame Fashion has set her mark of approval on this style.

Some are in plain colored silks and have net fronts to the collars and net cuffs, and are finished with pipings of a contrasting, lapel effect, and dashes of material matching the pipings.

We have some plain tailored effects in various colors, striped silks and small checks. These are finished with the turn-down, link collar and show fancy buttons.

Fancy buttons, frills of lace and pipings are strong features in the way of trimmings, and the chief colors are white, black, navy, browns, tans, Copenhagen, grey, striped or check black and whites, etc.

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COMPETITIVE PLANS

Are wanted by the Esquimalt School Board, for the addition of two wings and an assembly hall to the present school on Lampson street. The plans to duplicate the present classroom accommodation; the architecture to harmonize with the present structure.

Plans and specifications and estimated cost to be forwarded to the Secretary of the Esquimalt School Board, Box 35, Thoburn, P. O., not later than Thursday, the 13th Februar.

PACIFIC GREAT EASTERN RAILWAY.

Notice to Shareholders.

A Special General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway Company will be held at the head office of the Company, in the City of Victoria, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the thirteenth day of February, proximo, to consider, and, if deemed advisable, to authorize alteration of the Company's securities; amendment of the by-laws; and further to consider an agreement dated November 7, 1912, concerning the purchase of Howe Sound and Northern properties, and to authorize any necessary proceedings incident to closing the matter; and for the transaction of any other business that may properly be brought before the meeting.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., January 30, 1913.

R. D. THOMAS,
Secretary.

ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

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Progressive Thought Lecture by Dr. Butler, Sunday, 7.30 p. m. in The Princess Theatre. Subject, "The Coming Man." All progressive people are invited. •

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L'Alliance Francaise will hold a public meeting Tuesday evening, February 11 at 8.30 at the Alexandra Club. Madame Sanderson-Mongin will deliver an interesting lecture on "Les Chateaux de France. General admission, 25c. •

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For the Ladies, the retail department of the Kaiserhof Delicatessen Store. •

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Lady Douglas Chapter.—The annual meeting of the Lady Douglas Chapter of the Daughters of Empire will be held at 3 o'clock on Tuesday, February 11, at the King's Daughters' rest room, Courtney street.

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Cymrodorion Society.—Next Thursday's meeting of the Cymrodorion Society at the Foresters' hall, Broad street, will be the last during the society's present fiscal year, the new year commencing on March 1 with the celebration of St. David's Day. This will be specially observed, and Thursday's meeting will consider plans for the occasion, while a programme of songs and recitations will occupy the remainder of the evening.

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Victoria Carnival Week, August 4th to 9th, 1913. •

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Daughters of Empire.—The Agnes Deans Cameron Chapter, I. O. D. E., will meet on Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock, at the Alexandra Club.

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Valentine Event.—A valentine social and dance will be held at Colwood hall on Friday, February 14, under the auspices of the Colwood Woman's Institute.

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Caledonian Club—The usual monthly meeting of the Caledonian Club will be held to-morrow evening at the new Knights of Pythias Hall, corner of Blanchard avenue and North Park street.

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Instals Seismograph. — F. Napier Denison, of the meteorological department is installing one of his own self-recording seismographs in the mine of the Western Fuel Company during his visit of inspection at Nanaimo.

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Ladies' Guild, Seamen's Institute.—The Ladies' Guild of the Seamen's Institute will meet to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock at the Empress hotel. Rev. Mr. Collison, of Cedar Hill, will be present, and will give a short address.

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Lecture on Fish.—"Acclimatization of Fish on the West Coast of North America," will be the topic of a lecture which will be given by John P. Babcock, provincial fishery expert, at a public meeting of the Natural History Society in the King's Daughters' hall this evening.

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Seamen's Institute Vaudeville Performers—The ladies and gentlemen who are to take part in the vaudeville performance which is to take place during Easter week under the auspices of the Ladies' Guild of the Seamen's Institute, will meet at 5 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon in the King's Daughters' rest room, Courtney street.

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Reception to Pastor.—A public reception will be tendered to the Rev. J. G. Inkster, the new minister of the First Presbyterian church, this evening in the auditorium of the church, at which every member and adheren and all interested are expected to attend. Addresses will be given by prominent citizens and representatives from public bodies and sister churches. Musical selections will be rendered by R. Morrison and Jas. Petrie and the choir of the church will be in attendance.

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Ivy Leaf Social Club.—The weekly whist drive of the Ivy Leaf Social Club was held last Wednesday evening in the Alexandra Club, when, after a very well-contested and enjoyable evening, prizes were presented to the following by Mrs. Wilson: First lady, Mrs. Oddy; first gentleman, E. Platt; second lady, D. Salmon; second gentleman, J. Davey; consolation, Mrs. Shepherd and J. Mitchell. T. Collingwood acted as master of ceremonies. A committee meeting will be held this evening at 8 o'clock at 844 Johnson street.

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Suffrage Tag Day. — Pedestrians about town this morning were forcibly reminded of the presence of a local suffrage organization when they were approached by members of the society wearing the purple, green and white ribbons of the order. The Political Equality League is holding a "Tag Day" and about twenty members of the society are out canvassing the city, and incidentally finding out a great deal as to the attitude of the general public in the matter of "Votes for women." The corps of helpers are chiefly stationed on Government, Yates and Fort streets.

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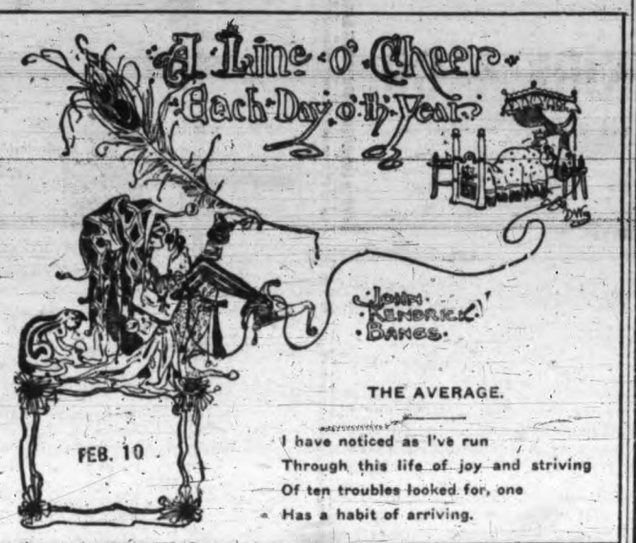

THE AVERAGE.

I have noticed as I've run
Through this life of joy and striving
Of ten troubles looked for, one
Has a habit of arriving.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Daily Times, February 10, 1888.

New York.—The Canadian Pacific Railway has reduced its second-class passenger rates to the Pacific coast. Its agents have been authorized to meet the rates of all rival routes.

The following nominations were received by Returning Officer W. K. Bull to-day to fill the vacancy in the representation of Johnson street ward, caused by the resignation of Councillor Pearse, C. T. Penwell, and John Robertson.

Frederick Shakespeare won the $2,000 appropriation at the drawing of the Vancouver Island Building Society last night.

Captain J. bn Irving left for Glasgow on Thursday morning to superintend the construction of a new steamship for the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company.

General Manager Holcomb and other officials of the Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company, were in the city this morning to arrange a change in the schedule of the company's steamer sailings.

Full-Dress Suits Rented. 609 Yates Street. •

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Lecture postponed—A lantern lecture which was to have been given by Robert Wm. Clark for the Social Service League, has been postponed and a dance will be given instead.

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Sussex Association—A general meeting of the Sussex Association will be held on Tuesday, February 11, at 8 p. m., at 2026 Blanchard street.

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Beehive Club—The Beehive cash store was a material loser by water during the process of extinguishing the fire at the Reynolds Block on Friday morning, in spite of the useful services rendered by the tarpaulins supplied by the fire department.

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Enjoyed the Ice.—A most enjoyable time was spent yesterday afternoon by a number of North Ward boys at Thetis lake. The ice was in perfect condition and a hockey team was formed. A. MacGregor's team won after hard work from Louis Glason's. MacDonald acted as referee.

LIBERAL SMOKER.

Function is Postponed for a Week—Ward Meetings This Week.

The Ward II. Liberal Association smoker, which was to be held to-morrow, has been postponed until the following Tuesday, February 18.

A meeting of Ward IV. Liberal Association will be held in the Liberal rooms, Cormorant street on Wednesday, at 8 p. m.

A meeting of Ward V. Liberal Association will be held in the Liberal rooms, Cormorant street on Thursday, at 8 p. m.

WILL STUDY FRENCH.

It has been decided to organize a club for the study of the French language, the members to meet one evening in the week at the Alexandra Club. The course of study will be: Reading, literature and conversation and the preparation of French plays to be acted by the members. A nominal fee will be charged to defray expenses of the room. Those wishing to affiliate themselves with the class may have information from Mrs. Holden, 851 Fort street, or Mrs. Bertram Shaw. A meeting is to be held at the residence of Mrs. Holden at 8.30 on Thursday evening.

SAMPETTO MERELY WARNED.

Was No Evidence of Intent to Wound—Magistrate Utters Caution.

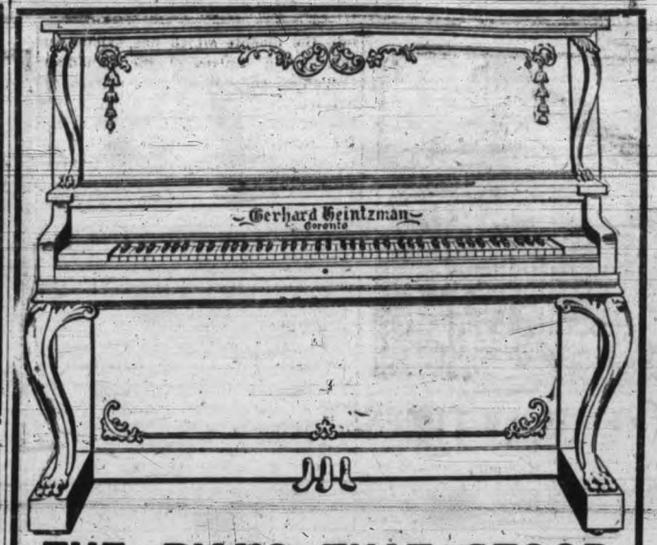
With a warning that foreigners must not use or threaten to use knives or axes or other weapons, Magistrate Jay discharged Nick Sampetto in police court this morning after the Crown had concluded its case on the charge of threatening to do bodily harm to Nick Sivorn with an axe. The two men quarrelled and Sampetto chased Sivorn in the house. The magistrate said no intent to wound was shown.

CIVIC COMMITTEE MEETINGS.

Four City Committees Meet To-day For Preparation For To-night's Council.

Several committee meetings were held at the city hall this morning and there was also the usual session of the finance committee this afternoon. The committees meeting this morning were the parks, Old Men's Home and electric light committees. Their findings will be reported to the council this evening.

The reports of these committees, together with that of the health and morals committee, will form the substance of the business before the city council this evening. The parks committee had before it an application for permission to erect a refreshment pavilion on part of the City Park at the Gorge, and permission for a troupe of entertainers to play at the same park. There was a number of other minor subjects brought up to be reported to the council.



THE PIANO THAT STOOD THE WATER TEST

When fire damaged the Empress Theatre on Friday last, the Gerhard Heintzman piano with which that theatre, in common with most of the leading theatres of Canada, is equipped was literally deluged with water from the firemen's hose. Saturday it was brought to our warerooms to be set right. Except that it required retuning and thorough drying, it was absolutely unharmed and none the worse for its soaking.

Here is a practical demonstration of one of the strong features of the **Genuine Gerhard Heintzman.** With the ordinary piano the water would have played dire havoc; joints would have swelled; glued sections would have parted and the wooden parts generally would have been so seriously deranged as to have required arduous repair work.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Feb. 10.—5 a.m.—The high area is still central over the Rocky Mountain regions, and excepting a heavy snowfall at Kamloops, fair and cold weather has prevailed on the Pacific slope. Present indications are favorable for a continuance of fair weather conditions in these districts. In the Prairie Provinces the pressure has increased in Alberta and Saskatchewan, but a low area of some force is central in Manitoba. The weather is cold and snow has fallen at many points.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p.m., Tuesday:

Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate northerly winds, fair and cold at night.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair and cold at night.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.24; temperature 32, minimum 20; wind, N. 4 miles; clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.26; temperature 28, minimum 26; wind, calm; clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.42; temperature zero, minimum zero; wind, N. E. 4 miles; snow, .12; clear.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.20; temperature 40, minimum 40; wind, E. 20 miles; clear.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.22; temperature 32, minimum 32; wind, E. 4 miles; clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.26; temperature 36, minimum 34; wind, N. E. 4 miles; part cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.06; temperature 46, minimum 46; wind, S. E. 4 miles; cloudy.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.84; temperature 10, minimum -4; wind, E. 14 miles; snow, trace; cloudy.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a.m., noon and 5 p. m., Saturday:

Temperature.

Highest	41
Lowest	31
Average	36

Bright sunshine, 7 hours 30 minutes; general state of weather, fine.

SUNDAY.

Temperature.

Highest	43
Lowest	29
Average	36

General state of weather, cloudy.

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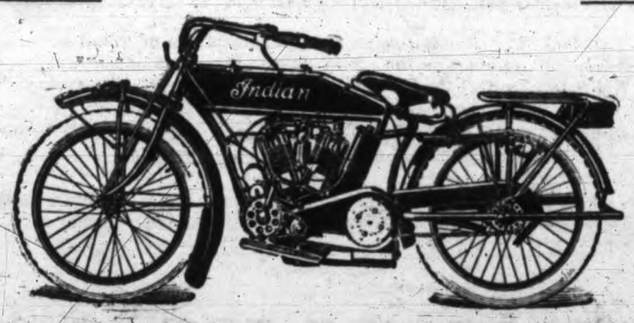

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Along the Waterfront

Shipping News from Day to Day

FISH COMPANY TO MAKE EARLY START

CANADIAN COLD STORAGE HOPE FOR BIG CATCHES

Three Trawlers, Two Sailers and Five Fishing Boats Will Operate Out of Rupert

Great preparations are being made by the Canadian Fish and Cold Storage Company, whose headquarters are at Prince Rupert, for an early and auspicious start this spring. The plans now being formulated by the heads of the company show that the enterprise is to be one of the largest the fishing industry of British Columbia has ever known. The fishing returns for the year of 1913 will no doubt be over double those of the past year, as with the British Columbia Fisheries, Limited, operating at Alliford Bay, and the Canadian Cold Storage Company at Prince Rupert, the total should be boosted into large figures.

The third of the new trawlers for the Prince Rupert Company, the James Carruthers passed up to Vancouver on Saturday and after being outfitted there will steam to the northern port. The officials of the company have been searching the different coast ports for two big schooners for cod-fishing purposes in Behring Sea, and finally have secured one vessel, the schooner Albert Meyer, a well known lumber carrier. Negotiations are now being carried out for the purchase of another similar craft and it is expected that the deal will be closed any day. The sailers will not have auxiliary power installed in them.

To Preserve the Fish.

The two schooners will act in conjunction with the deep-sea trawlers brought from England by the company and will care for all edible varieties of fish brought up by the fishing vessels. They will carry hundreds of tons of salt for preserving the fish until loads are secured for the trip to the Prince Rupert cannery and storage plant. The schooners will make alternate trips to port.

The Albert Meyer recently discharged 40,000 feet of lumber taken on at Gray's Harbor for San Diego. The Albert Meyer will be registered under the Canadian flag after being brought north. She is taking on a cargo of 800 tons of salt at the California port, which will be discharged at the company's plant in Prince Rupert.

The new Canadian schooner is of the "bald-headed" type of coasting schooners in the lumber trade, having pole masts with no topmasts. She is of the same type as the G. T. P.'s three-masted barge North Bend. She was built at Eureka in 1896 and is 156 feet long, 36 feet beam and 12 feet draught. She is of 459 gross tons.

Five fishing boats are being constructed at Vancouver for the company and the third was launched last week. The vessels are all trim little fishing boats and will be propelled by 125 horse power engines.

With the three trawlers, five fishing boats and two sailers the company should have a most successful season. Although this may seem a large fleet, it is only the nucleus of what is to be. If the fishing industry proves what it is expected it will, the company will have a number of additional trawlers dispatched from Grimsby, Eng., to Victoria.

MARINE NOTES

With a number of passengers the C. P. R. steamer Charmer, Capt. Brown, came into port yesterday from East Coast points after an uneventful trip. She sails to-night for Comox.

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Another large list of passengers will go south to San Francisco on Wednesday morning aboard the Pacific Coast steamship Senator. She leaves this port at 8 o'clock.

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The British steamship Bellgrano, Capt. Clabklock, which was here several months ago in the Maple Leaf service, was reported from Coronel on last Wednesday on her homeward trip to the United Kingdom.

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It is by no means a trifling loss for a sailing vessel to lose a charter through failure to make port in time for cancelling date. The German ship Olona, which has been chartered to load grain from the Columbia river to Europe, missed her cancellation date recently and it will cost her owners about $10,500, or at least they lose that much through the decline in the grain rate since the vessel's former charter.

SAMPSON AND SIOUX COLLIDED DURING FOG

Tacoma, Feb. 10.—The steamer Sioux collided with the Admiral Sampson in the fog here this morning. No one was hurt, but passengers were thrown from their feet.

HERRING IS BROUGHT FROM PRINCE RUPERT

Eighty-Four Tons Arrive on Prince Rupert for Shipment to Yokohama

Eighty-four tons of salt herring, packed by Japanese fishermen at Prince Rupert, were brought south by the G. T. P. steamer Prince Rupert, Capt. McKenzie, which arrived here from Prince Rupert yesterday morning. The herring is consigned to Japan and will be taken out by one of the Japanese liners.

The Japanese are great herring eaters, and many thousands tons of this fish are sent across the Pacific each year. This is the herring season at Prince Rupert, and a great number of Japanese are out in their boats making good catches. A great deal more fish will be shipped south within the next few weeks.

Capt. McKenzie reported a splendid trip, the weather being similar to that which prevailed in Victoria to-day. The northerly wind blew strongly at times and the temperature was rather low, but the passengers looked upon the trip as a splendid one. Seventy-two saloon and 45 steerage passengers came south on the Prince Rupert.

The Prince Rupert left port this morning at 10 o'clock for Prince Rupert and took out the following passengers: J. H. McKinley, F. R. Frazier, A. D. McLachlan, Mrs. M. Craig, L. Coleman, Mrs. M. Marshall, J. F. Ritchie, Miss I. Harvell, W. C. Saunders and Duncan Ross.

Prince George Over Next Week.

The crew of the steamer Prince George will be signed this week, and she will be brought over to Esquimalt about next Monday. She is to start out on the northern run, relieving the Prince Rupert, on Sunday next. It is understood that Capt. Donald, of the Prince Albert, will be made master of the George. Capt. Morehouse took the Albert north on her last trip.

Capt. C. H. Nicholson, manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific Steamship Company, was in town to-day on business.

TUG PROTECTIVE PURCHASED TO REPLACE LOST NIDGE

A. T. Goward, manager of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, stated this morning that the tug Protective, of Vancouver, had been purchased to take the place of the Nidge, which was lost on Macaulay Point some time ago. The Protective is a staunch craft, and is well equipped for the service between here and Jordan river.

CONTINUOUS STORM KEPT SHIP COMPANY

PANAMA MARU ARRIVES HERE TWO DAYS LATE

Great Seas Buffetted Osaka Liner and Part of Hand Rail Was Torn Away

Although she was battered by gigantic seas for 15 days, the only damage sustained by the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Panama Maru, Capt. Kanao, which came into port yesterday afternoon, was the twisting of a section of her port hand rail. The Japanese steamship required 18 days to make the run from Yokohama, which is one of the longest passages recorded this winter. The officers of the Panama reported the trip as being very bad. So boisterous did the weather become at times that the passengers had to remain below.

Owing to the fact that she was drydocked at Kobe for painting, the Panama Maru was one day late leaving Yokohama. With a clean hull Capt. Kanao looked for a smart run across the Pacific, but his anticipations were dispersed the first few days out from the Japanese port. The first night out it came on to blow hard from the northwest, and for fifteen days the wind never ceased, blowing first from one quarter and then hauling round to another. Great seas rolled right over the ship and so heavy was the rolling and pitching of the ship that she had to be hove to. For many hours at a stretch the Panama was kept into the storm with only sufficient speed to give her steerage way.

Worst Gale in Mid-Pacific.

The worst weather of the long voyage was encountered in mid-Pacific. Enormous combers assailed the Panama and the crest of one sea hit the port side, smashing a part of the hand rail. Another sea broke one of the air ports in the 'tween decks and before it was plugged up much water made its way into the hold. It was nothing unusual to see the great ship buried from stem to stern in great seas. When three days out from Victoria the weather showed signs of moderating for the first time. Gradually the sea went down and the Panama was able to resume her regular sea speed.

Although the Panama had been in drydock just previous to making the trans-Pacific voyage, she was dirty and grimy when she came into port yesterday. Her rails were covered with rust, her great iron plates looked as though they had just been scraped, and every part of the ship bore signs of the hard passage which had just been completed.

The Panama brought in a small list of passengers, including the following who travelled saloon: K. J. Wilkinson, from Kobe, who is bound to London; Frank Bush, a barber, who has been travelling in the Orient and who is bound for Illinois; John Drury, an American sailor who is returning from Manila. There were 35 passengers for Victoria, the majority of whom were Chinese.

Before proceeding to the Sound late last night the Panama put off 400 tons of freight at this port, including principally Chinese merchandise. She has 778 bales of silk for New York.

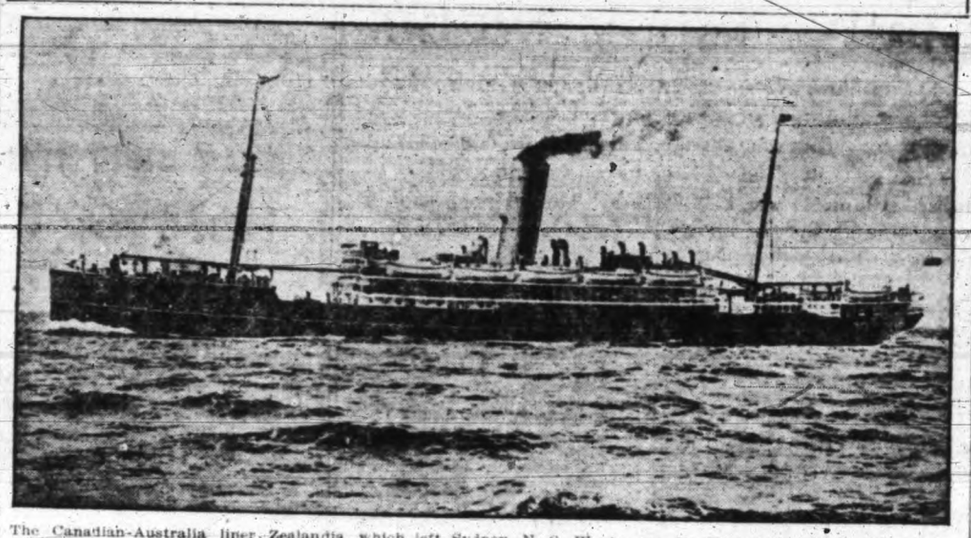
Mexico Maru's Fire.

Officers of the Panama Maru report that the fire aboard the Mexico Maru originated in No. 2 hold, and that all the cargo, which for the greater part consisted of cotton, was destroyed. The ship suffered no damage from the fire.

NEW BUOY INSPECTOR.

Lawrence Davis, who has long been engaged in the service of the marine department, has been appointed to the position of buoy inspector left vacant by the death of Chas. Fisher. Mr. Davis is well known along the waterfront.

LINER MAKING HER LAST VOYAGE TO VICTORIA



The Canadian-Australia liner Zealandia, which left Sydney, N. S. W., to-day for Victoria. She is to be replaced by the new steamship Niagara. The Zealandia will return to the coasting trade of Australia.

COMPARATIVE TABLE OF GREATEST ATLANTIC LEVIATHANS SINCE 1858

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Britannic	1874	455	8,500	5,500
Umbria	1885	500	10,500	14,300
Campania	1893	600	18,000	30,000
Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse	1899	625	20,800	30,000
Deutschland	1900	662	23,600	36,000
Kaiser Wilhelm II.	1903	678	26,000	38,000
Adriatic	1907	725	28,000	40,000
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"FLOATING COURT" IS MADE OF TEES

CAPT. GILLAM ACTS AS JUDGE IN LIQUOR CASE

Japanese Convicted of Supplying Indians With "Fire Water"—Has Fine Trip

Probably the only coasting boat that can boast of being a "floating court" is the C. P. R. west coast steamer Tees, Capt. Gillam, which returned from a trip to Holberg yesterday afternoon. The master of the vessel is a justice of the peace, and when at Kyuquot he was called upon to try two Japanese who were charged with selling liquor without a license. The case was tried aboard the Tees, and after hearing the evidence Capt. Gillam sentenced the Japanese to a fine of $200, or in default, six months in jail.

Provincial Constable McLeod, of Clayoquot, had been working on the case for some time, and finally rounded up the two Japanese, who were employed at the Kyuquot whaling station, one as the storekeeper and the other as a cook, on two charges, one for selling liquor without a license, and the second for supplying alcoholic beverages to Indians.

When the Tees called at Alberni on her northbound trip she picked up Chief of Police Simpson. Indian Agent Cox also went north to Kyuquot. The Japanese were found guilty on both charges. The constable had discovered a large amount of liquor in the storekeeper's place, and one white swore that he had been given liquor. The evidence in this case was quite conclusive, and Capt. Gillam handed out his verdict. The Japanese paid the fine.

Agent Sentenced Them Heavily.

Indian Agent Cox heard the case of supplying Indians with liquor, and he did not give them the option of paying a fine, but sentenced the storekeeper to six months' imprisonment, and his accomplice to three months. Chief of Police Sampson brought the men down on the Tees to Alberni, and took them to the jail at Nanaimo.

The Tees had one of the finest trips of the winter season, according to her officers. The northeast winds blowing offshore were too light to disturb the waters, and consequently the Tees was not delayed by bad weather. The west coast steamer brought a fair list of passengers to port, including the Rt. Rev. Dr. Roper, Bishop of Columbia, who made a trip to Clayoquot.

One of the largest shipments of clay to be brought in from Kyuquot since the pits there were opened, was stowed in the holds of the Tees when she came in yesterday. She had 170 tons.

The Tees is sailing for Clayoquot and way ports to-night.

BARQUENTINE AURORA IS 20 DAYS OVERDUE

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 10.—Twenty days overdue from Honolulu the barquentine Aurora, Captain Samuelson, is causing some uneasiness. She left the islands December 28 and under favorable conditions should have reached this port in 18 days.

The Aurora is on the last leg of a voyage from Newcastle, whence she is bringing a cargo of coal. She put into Honolulu December 24 for minor repairs and provisions.

MET CAPT. SCOTT IN DUNDEE ON DISCOVERY

Hughie Dickson Has Souvenir Given Him by Late Famous Explorer

Among the Victorians who remembered Capt. Robert F. Scott, the famous Antartic explorer whose life was blotted out in a terrible blizzard while he was returning from his successful dash to the South Pole, is Hughie Dickson, Victoria's shipping authority, who runs the Montana Restaurant. He met the great English explorer in Dundee two days before Capt. Scott sailed in the old "Discovery" on his first trip into the Antartic regions. Hughie says that he was a fine fellow, but that he did not care very much for civilization, and was always wanting to get away on long cruises to unknown lands and seas.

When quite a young lad Mr. Dickson was taken by his uncle David Stratton, magistrate of Broughty Ferry, a town five miles from Dundee, to see Capt. Scott. This was in the year 1903. His uncle was a prominent resident of that port, and was among the people introduced to the explorer. Hughie being interested in the sea made a minute survey of the "Discovery," and when he was leaving the ship, Capt. Scott gave him a small piece of wood, similar to that used in the outfitting of the cabin, and said: "I hope that this will keep in your memory the old 'Discovery.'"

Mr. Dickson recalls the scenes at the Earl Grey dock the day the "Discovery" departed for her first cruise to the southern seas. Hundreds of people assembled on the dock, and cheered the ship and her crew. Oranges were thrown at the vessel, and a bottle of wine was broken over her bow, two superstitions which were supposed to keep the vessel free from harm.

The "Discovery" was one of the old Dundee whalers. The Terra Nova, which carried Capt. Scott into the Antartic regions on his fateful expedition, was also a Dundee whaler, but was of a different class.

WIRELESS REPORTS

Feb. 10, 8 a. m.

Point Grey.—Overcast; calm; 28.

Cape Lazo.—Cloudy; calm; 30.23; 33; sea smooth.

Tatoosh.—Cloudy; E., 24 miles; 30.22; 41; sea smooth. In, S. S. President, 5.20 a. m.

Pachena.—Cloudy; N. W.; 30.00; light swell.

Estevan.—Cloudy; calm; 29.99; 35; sea smooth.

Triangle.—Overcast; S., light; 20.53; 40; sea smooth. Spoke, 4.50 a. m., S. S. Princess Beatrice off Egg Island, southbound.

Ikeda.—Cloudy; S. E., light; 29.92; 40; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert.—Cloudy; N. W., light; 30.16; 29; sea smooth. Spoke, 11 p. m., S. S. Jefferson, off Prince Rupert, northbound.

Dead Tree Point.—Overcast; S. E.; sea smooth.

Alert Bay.—Cloudy; S. E., light; sea smooth.

Noon.

Point Grey—Cloudy; calm; 29.

Cape Lazo—Cloudy; calm; 30.20; 41; sea smooth. Spoke, S. S. Princess Beatrice, Faker Pass, 8.30 a. m., southbound.

Tatoosh—Clear; E. 24 miles; 30.25; 45; sea smooth.

Pachena—Clear; N. W. fresh; 30.00; light swell.

Estevan—Cloudy; calm; 29.98; 43; sea smooth.

Triangle—Cloudy; S. E. 29.54; 42; sea smooth.

Ikeda—Cloudy; S. E. light; 29.99; 45; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Clear; N. light; 30.04; 44; sea smooth. Spoke, S. S. Princess May, 11.05 a. m.

Dead Tree Point—Overcast; S. E. light; sea smooth. In, S. S. Prince John, 9.15 a. m.; S. S. Quadra at Law's Lawn, re-charging buoy.

Alert Bay—Cloudy; S. E. light; sea smooth.

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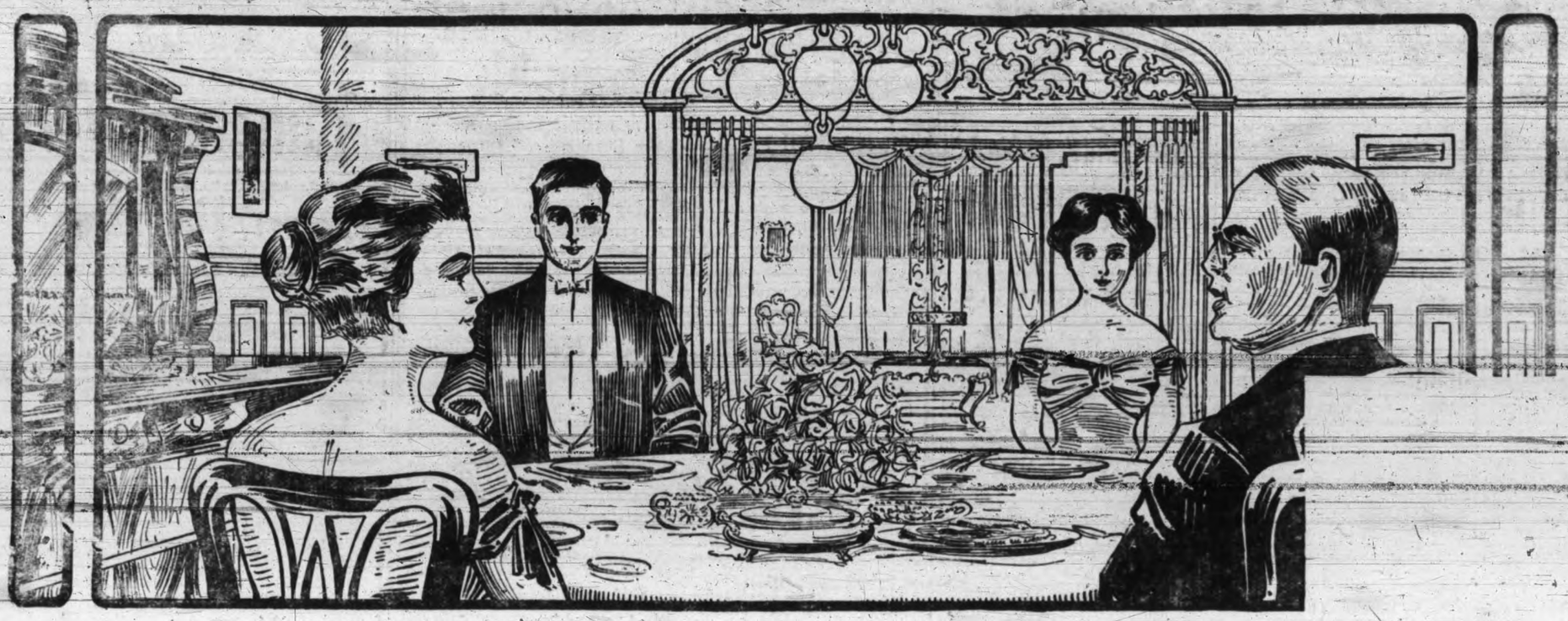

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SPORTING NEWS

VICTORIA WEST ELEVEN LEAD IN RACE FOR ISLAND HONORS

Wards Score Easy Victory Over Garrison — Thistles Beaten by S. O. E.—Week-End Games

Outclassing their opponents, the North Ward and Victoria West soccer teams continued their march in the Island League on Saturday afternoon, the Wards defeating the formidable Garrison eleven 8 to 2, while the West-enders had little difficulty in winning from the James Bay club 4 to 0. The Sons of England won a close game from the Thistles 2 to 1, advancing a peg at the expense of the Scots. The Wests still lead, with the Wards running a bang-up second and from their showing to date, these clubs will fight it out for the Island title, just as they did in the City League.

Wards' Easy Win.

North Wards' spectacular finish copped the game with the Garrison Club, the Wards scoring six goals in the second half while the Soldiers were registering a brace of scores. The Wards were held fairly safe in the first session and had to work at top speed to register a pair of tallies, the opposition defence wilted in the second period and the Wards simply romped home. This game produced a lot of very effective combination by the Wards, McGregor being the chief scorer. Wests made it four straight when they trimmed the James Bay eleven four goals to nil, Sam Lorimer's proteges being unable to make any headway against the strong green and white line-up. It was simply a case of a well organized team winning from an eleven that lacks system in its attack. The James Bay team, individually worked hard. Their efforts, however, were rendered ineffective by the absence of combination. Norman McDonald, formerly of the J. B. A. A. team, scored three of the four goals against the Bays.

Sons Beat Thistles.

Sons of England scraped through with a victory over the Thistles, the inability of the latter club to take advantage of several grand openings costing the Scots the victory. The Sons went onto the field with a rather weak team but assumed a one-goal lead in the first half, when Douglas tallied, Goaltend Smart carrying the ball back into the net with him. The Sons scored again in the second half, Fred Kerley driving the ball into the net before the Thistles broke into the summary. Caskie tallied on a beautiful shot, this ending the scoring. Both teams played excellent football, the grand defence work of the Sons bringing that team the victory.

EASTERN HOCKEY.

Results.

At Toronto—Torontos, 5; Canadiens, 3.

At Montreal—Tecumsehs, 2; Wanderers, 1.

At Ottawa—Quebec, 4; Ottawa, 1.

N. H. A. Standing.

	W.	L.	Goals F.	Goals A.
Quebec	9	4	62	43
Canadiens	7	6	58	51
Wanderers	7	6	55	51
Tecumsehs	7	6	47	50
Ottawas	6	7	50	53
Torontos	5	8	49	54

VANCOUVER MAN BEATEN.

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 10.—In the blue ribbon on Saturday, Crisp, of Vancouver, was beaten by Morrison, of Strathcona, 10 to 11.

SOME BOWLER

HARRY MEEK

Vancouver, Feb. 10.—Marsh Hodgins won the city championship in the singles. Harry Meek, baseball and bowling expert, finished in second place.

PHOENIX WINS LEADER.

Grand Forks, B. C., Feb. 10.—Phoenix won from Grand Forks by a score of 3 goals to 1 in what is credited with being the swiftest hockey match ever seen in the interior of the province. Nearly a thousand spectators saw the game, a special train of the Canadian Pacific Railway bringing two hundred from Phoenix. The teams were evenly matched and Phoenix won by superior combination work. This practically gives Phoenix the championship of the Boundary League and authority to play for the Sir Richard McBride Cup.

KANTLEHENER SIGNS.

Ervine Kantlehener, the Bees' southpaw, sent in his signed contract this morning, and will report for duty about the middle of next month.

ACQUISITION MAY BE NEW MARQUARD

LEO M'QUARRY HAS SIGNED WITH THE BEES

Eighteen-Year-Old Pitcher is Giant—Much Expected of Him

Beating Iron Man McGinnity to the catch, Manager Mike Lynch has grabbed off one of the most promising twirling possibilities in the Northwest in the person of Leo McQuary, the Seattle youth, who has signed a contract to heave for the Bees this summer. McQuary is a mere youth, but 18 years of age, but he is a regular giant, six-foot one inch in his hosiery, while he shapes up like a white hope. McQuary is highly touted as a second Marquard, and the local Czar expects his new portege to make good with a rush. Two years ago Bob Brown gave him a tryout and he showed a lot of stuff then, being allowed to go simply because of the fact that Brown has a seasoned bunch of twirlers on his pay roll.

This year McGinnity made McQuary a flattering offer, but Manager Mike came through with a better proposition, together with a large amount of "blarney" and landed McQuary for the Bees. McQuary, it is figured, is about ripe for class "B" ball, and while he will have to show a bundle of stuff to beat out some of the regulars, Lynch believes that he has the goods and intends to hang unto him.

GOLF MATCH TO-DAY.

Ladies' Match Play Golf Tournament Starts.

Arrangements have been completed for the first round of the ladies' match play golf tournament, under handicap, for the challenge cup presented by the Victoria Golf Club, which takes place to-day at the Oak Bay links. One round will be played daily until the finish. Prizes for the winner and runner-up have been donated by Mrs. A. W. Jones and Mrs. Victor Eliot. The following is the draw:

First Round.

Miss Drake vs. Mrs. Jones.
Miss Bodwell vs. Mrs. Mills.
Mrs. W. Todd vs. Mrs. Colebourne.
Mrs. Langley vs. Mrs. Combe.
Mrs. Nelson vs. Miss M. Pitts.
Miss Peggy Pearce vs. Mrs. Eliot.
Mrs. Crowe vs. Miss Butchart.

The following have drawn byes, and will play in the second round on Tuesday: Mrs. Richards vs. Mrs. Mellin, Miss Combe vs. Mrs. Pearce, Miss G. Pitts vs. Mrs. T. S. Gore, Mrs. C. Gore vs. Mrs. Talbot, Mrs. Bird vs. winner of Miss Drake's and Mrs. Jones' match.

HOCKEY BOWLERS IN GRAND FORM

Took All Three Games From Hinton Electric Team—Standing of League

Winning all three games from the Hinton Electric team, the Victoria Hockey Club bowlers boosted their chances for the City League honors at the Arcade Alleys, Saturday night. The Ice Dogs were right in form, though they had a narrow escape in the last game, winning by five pins. Brooks and Howell rolled high. The other games scheduled for Saturday night between Puget Sound and Syndicated Properties teams was postponed until to-night. The scores:

Hinton Electrics.

	1	2	3	Tls.
Hughes	129	149	130	408
Lemmax	122	129	135	386
Catteral	106	120	122	348
Smith	102	136	140	378
Howell	155	123	166	444
	614	657	693	1964

Hockey Club.

Brooks	145	161	164	470
Genge	156	132	149	437
Dunderdale	113	132	160	405
Gould	121	144	116	381
Hanover	133	141	109	383
	668	710	698	2076

The standing of the teams:

	W.	L.	Pld.
Telephone	7	2	9
Mitchell Innes	8	4	12
Hockey Club	9	6	15
Syndicated Properties	6	3	9
Puget Sound	8	7	15
Hinton Electric	1	17	18

SATURDAY'S SOCCER.

Island League.

North Wards, 8; Garrison, 2.
Victoria Wests, 4; James Bays, 0.
Sons of England, 2; Thistles, 1.

	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Victoria Wests	4	1	0	8
North Wards	3	1	1	7
Sons of England	2	1	2	6
Thistles	2	2	1	5
Garrison	1	3	1	3
James Bays	0	4	1	1

Intermediate League Results.

North Wards, 3; Y. M. C. A., 1.
Victoria Wests, 5; Empires, 0.
Empress, 2; Fifth Regiment, 2.

League Standing.

	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
North Wards	1	0	0	2
Victoria Wests	1	0	0	2
Fifth Regiment	0	0	1	1
Empress	0	0	1	1
Y. M. C. A.	0	1	0	0
Empires	0	1	0	0

VICTORIA RUGBY.

	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Law Students	5	0	1	11
Oak Bays	3	1	2	8
Wanderers	3	1	1	7
Victoria Welsh	1	5	0	2
James Bay	0	5	0	0

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REMARKED ON THE SIDE

Prodgers' Recovery Makes a Win Certain.

Now that the Cinnamon Bear Cat has recovered and is out of the hospital, Victoria hockey fans will breathe easier over the outcome of to-morrow's night's game against Vancouver. The assurance that Prodgers will be able to last out the game, as given by the medical men in attendance upon the big cover-point means that the league leaders will go right through the game at full strength, and with Vancouver feeling a bit tired after their overtime battle of Friday night, the Senators should win by three or four goals. Lester Patrick, however, is taking no chances with the Millionaires, and will send his men out at top speed to roll up an early lead. Victoria beat the Terminals last week by getting away to an early start, and the Senators can repeat to-morrow night by pursuing the same tactics. Vancouver's defence appears to have tightened up, but their forward line is not showing the same goal-getting ability. They will have to score at least six goals to beat the Senators to-morrow night, and half a dozen tallies is more than Bert Lindsay intends to filter through his pads.

Charlie Reilly Boasts of a Grand Record.

Vancouver sporting writers are bellowing their heads off because of a decision which was given against Ernie Barrieau last week at Coquitlam, asserting that Charlie Reilly was the recipient of a "gift" victory over the Terminal City boxer in their recent contest. Whatever may have been the verdict, the fact remains that Barrieau was in bad shape in the second round, and though he finished strong, Reilly had piled up a big lead in the first and second rounds. The latter is touted in 'Frisco as the best short distance fighter on the coast, in the lightweight division, and his record bears out this statement. Reilly has a decision over Willie Ritchie to his credit, while he was beaten by the latter in two six round bouts. Reilly earned fame in Honolulu as a real star by beating a number of good boys and a bout with Bayley would pull a big house. Promoter Hartlet, of Coquitlam, is trying to arrange the battle.

Hot Finish for the Students and Oaks.

Though the Law Students appear to have a comfortable lead in the fight for the Victoria Rugby Union championship, the Students have a hard struggle ahead of them. They have yet to play the Wanderers, while their tie game with the Oak Bays must also be played off. They cannot afford to lose either game, and can prevent all possible chances of a tie-up in the league by winning both contests. Oak Bays and Wanderers are running neck and neck for second honors, but the Oaks have four games to play, which gives them a chance to go further ahead. A loss for the Oaks, however, will present the championship to the Law Students on a silver platter. Wanderers have a slim chance, and must defeat the Law Students in their next match, to remain in the running. The Victoria Welsh Club appear to have taken a new lease of life, but will be unable to give the leaders a brush, while the James Bay fifteen are sure of the cellar honor. The Students, barring upsets, should win.

Ten-pin Artists Furnish Some Surprises.

Last week witnessed a number of reversals in form in the City Bowling League, and it begins to look as if the B. C. Telephone quintette will have to do some tall rolling to retain their lead in this league. The Mitchell Innis team are but a couple of games behind them, while the Victoria Hockey Club bowlers struck their stride last week, gathering in six games while they dropped three. Syndicated Properties will also prove contenders before long, while the Puget Sound team appear to have a chance, also. The Hinton Electric bowlers are outclassed, though they have dropped a number of games by very close scores. Great interest is being taken in the outcome and the donation of a handsome silver trophy by "Jimmie" Stephens has helped the game along wonderfully. The City League promises to be a fixture in local bowling circles and the ten-pin game will undoubtedly benefit by its formation.

Quebec Goes Further Ahead in the N. H. A.

There appears to be no stopping that Quebec septette in the National Hockey Association, and unless the Wanderers or Canadiens apply the brakes to Joe Malone's Habitants, the latter will walk off with their second world's championship. Wanderers slipped up at Montreal on Saturday when the Tecumsehs beat them by the odd goal, while Canadiens went down to the lowly Torontos to the tune of 5 to 3. Ottawa dropped her fifth game at home this season when Quebec won 4 to 1. The Senators are out of the running, while Quebec has a big lead, one that they should increase when they strike their home rink. Canadiens also have a bunch of games at home from now on, and should pull up a bit. The dopesters look for Wanderers to cop the bunting, but it is up to Art Ross and his crew to step lively or Quebec will be too far ahead to overhaul.

PITHY PIGSKIN PARAGRAPHS

Wests appear to have struck their winning gait, as Saturday's victory indicates.

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Jeff Baker, former halfback of the North Ward club, will be seen on the Victoria West line-up in the Morley cup games.

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Johnny Peden will play inside left for the Wests in the Island League.

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Y. M. C. A. have practically the same line-up for the Morley cup series as they had in the City League.

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Sam Lorimer is thinking of making a few changes on the James Bay line-up for the Island League.

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Kerley, former Sons of England goalkeeper, has left the nets and will play inside right for the Englishmen.

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The Thistle football team have a good bunch of supporters. No matter where the team plays these Scots are on the side lines.

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Cyril Baker met with an accident in the West Thistles game. He was kicked in the instep by Sheriff.

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The second division soccerites played their opening matches in the Island League series, the Wards trouncing the Y. M. eleven by three to one, while the Fifth Regiment and Empress played to a draw, one all, at the Work Point grounds, and the Wests emerged triumphant over the Empires by five to nil.

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All members of the North Ward Soccer Club are requested to attend a meeting at Appleby's hall this evening at 8 o'clock sharp. Important football matters will be considered.

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Nanaimo fans are complaining that soccer is not getting enough attention by the Island League teams and are wanting to put up the old Pacific Coast trophy won by them three seasons ago to be competed for amongst Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster and Nanaimo.

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The Wests are still holding their lead in the race for the Morley cup, and yesterday administered defeat to the Bays, 4 to nil, but "McCafferty," skipper of the Wards, claims that they will not hold the top position much longer. The old, old, rivals, Wards and Wests.

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The Wards had an easy time of it Saturday by winning from the soldiers eight to two. The game wasn't very interesting from a spectator's standpoint, although the Wards got in some pretty combination. "Wee" McGregor, the Wards' centre forward, played his best game of the season, and incidentally registered six of the goals, while Neil was responsible for the other two. Taylor at left half was in his usual form, and Brynjolfsen showed some of his old-time tactics. Bromley, the soldiers' custodian, played grand game and held the blue shirts at bay the best he possibly could.

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Sam's aspirations for the Morley cup were given a severe jolt Saturday when the green shirts defeated them four to nothing, when McDonald, his old team mate, registered three of the four goals, and by the way played a good game for the Wests, Bill Sedger scoring the other goal. The Wests had the game well under way all the time, and were never in doubt.

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The Sons-Thistles game was the most closely contested match in the Morley cup series Saturday, the Sons managing to come out victorious two to one. The game was fast all through, and some pretty combination was witnessed, especially on the Sons' part. Fred Kerley played in his regular form, and his brother Alf was seen in his old position on the forward line. The first goal came from the foot of Douglas, the fleet-footed outside left for the Sons, which was closely followed by another score for the Sons when Kerley drove in a neat shot which deserved a tally. The Scots' only tally came within a few minutes of time, and was a well-earned goal, and the prettiest shot of the day from Caskie, their outside right, who was playing marvellous football all the way through. Munday, the Sons new goalie, played a grand game, and with Kerley on the attacking line certainly improves the Sons' line-up.

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Saturday's senior teams were:

Wests—Robertson; Whyte and Prevost; McDonald, Pettierew and Stewart; Okell, Sedger, McDonald, Youson and Sheritt.

James Bays—Goal, Gray; backs, Petch and Proctor; halves, Breadner, Morris and Dugan; forwards, Jones, Shortt, Pilkington, Young and Attwell. Referee Dave Dougan.

North Wards—Goal, Baynes; backs, Taylor and Harry Ord; halves, Brown, Brynjolfson and Tunnycliffe; forwards, Neill, Peden, McGregor, Lane and Dakers.

Garrison—Goal, Bromley; Elton and Perry; Wedgewood, Wyllie and Brown; Vinsen, Stevens, Gale, Wright and Buxton. Referee, J. R. Allen.

Sons of England — Goal, Munday; backs, Maxwell and Vincent; halves, Kelsall, Martin and Beach; forwards, F. Kerley, Clarkson, Youson, A. Kerley and Douglas.

Thistles—Goal, Smart; backs, Sherriff and McEwan; halves, Stronach, Niven and Brown; forwards, Caskie, Prall, Kerr, Young, Sinclair. Referee, W. Wilson.

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HIGHBRIDGE MAKES GOOD.

American Steeplechaser Second in the Prince of Wales Handicap.

Sandown Park, Eng., Feb. 10.—J. B. Fell's Highbridge, the only American steeplechaser in training for the Grand National at Liverpool next month, was second to the favorite, Glen Heston, in the Prince of Wales Handicap Steeplechase here on Saturday. This was the American horse's try-out. He carried the top weight of 175 pounds, and made a distinctly good showing. The distance was three miles, and in the last half-mile Highbridge for a short period held the lead.

AMATEUR STAR DIES.

St. Catherines, Ont., Feb. 10.—William Aubron, first home player of the Athletic Lacrosse Club, who played in the Mann Cup games at Vancouver last October, died last Friday night.

Arcade Bowling Alleys

The manager of the alleys has arranged for two afternoons a week for ladies desiring to bowl, Tuesday and Thursday. Phone 4873.

WANTS TO FIGHT BAYLEY.

Charlie Reilly and His Manager Arrive in the Capital.

A. J. Stirling, manager of Charlie Reilly, together with the latter, called on Morris Condon this morning and tried to arrange a bout at Coquitlam between Bayley and Reilly early next month. The Doble Kid has not yet put down the $500 side bet, and until he does, nothing further will be done by Manager Condon.

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SCOTT WAS STAR OF SATURDAY'S RUGBY

Hill Prevented Law Students Winning by a Much Larger Margin

Law Studdents, 11; Welsh, 9.

Scott, on the right wing of the Welsh fifteen at Oak Bay last Saturday afternoon, was the star of the game with the Law Students, when the men from the land of the leek went down to a bare defeat. The students outweighed them all through, and on a field that was a cross between a slough and a mudhole they ran through the whites in the scrums. At that the back division of the welsh was incomparably superior to that of the students, and whenever their quarter managed to get the ball to the three-quarter nearest him the backs were off like a streak, and their passing was a pleasure to witness. The backs of the students had plenty of opportunities for fine passing rushes, but save in one or two instances they invariably muffed the ball. The students were better kickers, and better tacklers; but in the last feature neither team was very worthy of note, most of the men trying to get a runner by the neck.

Hill was another star man, but most of the openings he took were made for him by the other Welsh backs. At that he deserves great credit for the fact that but for his speed the day would have been even more disastrous for the men in white.

A. D. B. Scott refereed. He gave good satisfaction, but there were times, when, had he been on the job, he could have materially altered the play; as for instance when Gillespie deliberately fouled a man taking a mark, for which he should have been instantly put off the field. It is well enough to excuse this incident on the ground that he might have missed his catch, but a man taking a mark is entitled to fair treatment, and if, by tackling him, a player thinks to fool the referee he should be removed from the field for the good of the game.

Forrester was off the Welsh line-up with an injured hand.

The teams were: Law Students—Fullback, Boggs; three-quarters, Galliher, Meredith, S. Gillespie, Martin; halves, Morton and A. Milligan; forwards, G. Milligan, Norris, Monteith, McCallum, Ross, McIlree, Benson, Bateman.

Welsh Club.—Fullback, Gray; three-quarters, Scott, Honeychurch, Hill and Thomas; rover, Bayley; halves, Hendra and Davies; forwards, Watkins, Boyd, Griffiths, Jones, Headie, Dai Davis and Leeson.

Wanderers vs. J. B. A. A.

The first of the Barnard Cup Rugby games Saturday was so one-sided as to be absolutely uninteresting. The James Bays were two men short, and were in no way a match for the aggressive Wanderers. The final score was 34 to 0. The game was good practice for the Wanderers, their forwards dribbled well and their backs made numerous splendid passing rallies.

Scores were made by Spencer, D. M. Grant, Leonard, Beckton, D. M. Grant, Milton, Wagge-Mott, D. M. Grant, twice in succession, Spencer, D. M. Grant and Ackland each converted one, F. A. Sparks converted.

The Wanderers Team — Fullback, Spencer, three-quarters, Wagge-Mott, D. M. Grant, Leonard, Milton; halves, G. C. Grant and Milne; forwards, Ackland, Chalk, Baum, Denniston, Beckton, Brown and Pickup.

The British aeroplane fleet comprises about fifty machines, of which some thirty are practicable, modern craft.

SPORTING NEWS (CONTINUED)

SEAT PLAN SOLD OUT FOR GAME

PRODGERS IS OUT OF HOSPITAL

Senators Expect to Win Over Millionaires in To-morrow Night's Hockey Feature

Every reserved seat in the Willows Arena was disposed of this afternoon for to-morrow night's match between Vancouver and Victoria, and with prospects of the largest crowd of the season, Manager Lester Patrick is priming his Senators for a big win over the Millionaires. The locals must win in orrer to retain their lead over Vancouver, while, should the maroon and white seven go down to defeat, it practically hands the championship over to the Senators. The game is the most important that will be staged in the Capital this season and with the Coast hockey title looming up, there is not a sporting enthusiast in the city who will miss the chance to help the Senators land the Patterson cup.

Prodgers Back Again.

Victoria's win over Vancouver in the Terminal City a week ago, together with Vancouver's sudden reversal of form when they won from the Royals at New Westminster on Friday night, has created great interest in to-morrow night's contest and the Millionaires have wired over that they will climb back into the running by defeating the Senators at the Willows Ice Palace. The recovery of Goldie Prodgers means that the locals will send their strongest team on the ice. Ed. Oatman and Jimmie Gardner will handle the battle and a special car service will be provided by the B. C. Electric to handle the thousands who will attend.

Skating Race.

In connection with the Wilkerson Cup race, the donor of the cup would like prospective skaters to call and receive tickets for the rink and to register for the event. Geo. Gowler and Art Menard are the scratch men, with half a dozen others at various handicaps. The race will be held between the second and third periods, the hockey match starting at 8.30 sharp.

MILLIONAIRES HAVE A "HUNCH"

Vancouver is Being Freely Backed to Win To-morrow Night's Hockey Feature at the Arena — Some Dope on Form of Teams to Date

From the amount of Vancouver money that is being wagered on to-morrow night's battle at the Arena, the Millionaires' supporters must have a hunch that their favorites can down the league leaders. At different places in the city large sums had been left to wager on Victoria, and Saturday night a regular flood of Terminal City green backs covered all the Senatoral capital in sight. The betting on the game is at evens, and while Victoria money is now going begging, the Vancouver crowd that will come to the Capital to-morrow send word that they will take all the coin in sight.

Leaders Have Edge.

Just what hunch that the Vancouver bettors possess is hard to dope out. The Senators have played six games with the Terminals and have won four of these contests, one going into overtime. Vancouver has a better bunch of goal getters, but the Millionaires have not broken any records against the Lindsay, Patrick and Prodgers combination, while Victoria has a better scoring record against the Millionaires. Then again, to-morrow night's game is being played on Victoria ice, before a Victoria crowd of intensely partizan rooters. The league leaders will certainly cut out a pace from the start and it is hard to see how Vancouver, playing three games in a week, can hope to hold the red, white and blue forwards. Back checking is a strong Victoria feature, also team play, and with the edge in condition Manager Lester Patrick hopes to pull out with a four-goal win over the Millionaires.

Senators Get Rest.

Victoria is favored in the schedule this week, the Senators having a rest until February 13, when they play the Royals at Westminster, while Vancouver and New Westminster clash Friday night at Vancouver. But three more games remain to be played at the local Arena, counting to-morrow night's game, while Vancouver has but two. Westminster gets the bulk of the homes gates from now on, and the Royals should pull up a bit, though they can hardly hope to overhaul the Senators.

CAPITAL CITY CURLERS SHOWED UP WELL

Victoria Rinks Captured One Game Out of Six From Vancouver Club—Locals Lacked Necessary Practice — The Scores

Victoria curlers gave a very good account of themselves at Vancouver on Saturday, despite the fact that they lost five out of six games. Lack of practise and the fact that the Vancouver rinks were familiar with the ice, accounts in a large measure for the defeat of the Capital City representatives, and the fact that they ran the the Terminal City curlers close in several of the games demonstrates Victoria's ability to select strong curling rinks. The visit was one that will give curling a big boost in Victoria, and with the plans for a curling rink in this city under consideration, the "Roaring Game" should take a firm hold in the Capital.

Skip Kennedy Wins.

Skip Kennedy's was thee only Victoria rink to emerge victorious, defeating Skip Holland five up in a twelve-end contest. Messrs. McCosh and Ritchie were defeated, the Victoria rinks finding the artificial ice rather strange. In the evening all three rinks were beaten, though Skips Kennedy and McCosh forced the Vancouver curlers to the limit, to win. McCosh was beaten by one shot by Skip Moe. The local curlers were royally treated, and will again visit Vancouver before the close of the season.

The complete scores of the games were:

Afternoon.

Victoria—																
Ritchie	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	—			6
McCosh	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	—			3
Kennedy	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	2	3	0	3	0	—			12
Vancouver—																
McQueen	2	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	—				10
Nation	1	0	1	2	1	0	3	3	2	1	1	—				16
Holland	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	—				7

Evening.

Victoria—																
Kennedy	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	2	0	0	2	4	—			12
McCosh	2	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	—			10
Ritchie	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	3	0	—			8
Vancouver—																
McKay	1	0	2	0	6	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	—			16
Moe	0	0	2	0	2	1	1	3	1	0	1	0	—			11
Wheeling	0	2	0	2	3	0	1	0	1	2	0	1	—			12

MINIATURE RIFLE CLUB

Class A.

T. Abercrombie (gold button)	97
J. B. Tighe	95
W. D. Brayshaw	95
W. Hall	95
M. Lohbrunner	93
C. G. Gordon	93
Lieut. W. Winsby	93
Capt. C. J. Gollop	92
H. Pike	92
Sergt. A. Dobson	91
D. McNicol	91
W. H. Bailey	90
Lieut. F. Richardson	88
A. C. Kennedy	87
Sergt.-Major E. MacDougall	86
W. J. Tanner	78

Class B.

G. H. Llewllyn (silver button)	96
W. Lynn	93
W. M. Cooke	92
J. Wilman	91
C. Coutts	91
Sergt. W. H. Denison	90
M. G. Osborne	90
E. Chafe	87
M. S. Greig	87
E. E. Hardwick	85
J. McNeil	83
N. Kennedy	82
A. Moffat	79
A. McPhee	78
A. Lohbrunner	77

Class C.

G. G. Carter (bronze button)	90
Ernest Hall	90
W. Shilcock	83
L. Hellier	83
J. S Greig	88
G. Sheldon-Williams	83
A. R. Walsh	82
J. A. Dewar	80
G. W. Harper	70
J. H. Collier	69
H. W. Oliver	60
W. Linskill	56

SWIMMING CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

The following were elected at a meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Swimming Club last week as officers for the current year: President, L. Leo; vice-president, P. R. Pomfret; secretary, R. Ely; treasurer, R. A. R. Clark; captain, L. Godfrey. The life-saving class has already enrolled eight members, and as soon as the services of an instructor can be arranged for lessons in this valuable science will be started.

MORE RESTRICTIONS TO IMMIGRATION

TWO EXAMINATIONS FOR PERSONS FROM BRITAIN

Barriers Against Entry If Unfit to Australia to Be Increased

Referring to a leading article published in The Argus criticizing the bill to amend the immigration restriction act, which was passed through the Australian House of Representatives recently, says the Melbourne Argus, Mr. Thomas, minister for external affairs, said that some of the points were based on a misconception of the government's intention.

"As to the contention under the new proposals a passenger will not be permitted to go on board a steamer bound for Australia," the minister continued, "without examination by 'some gruff person in a hurry,' there is nothing to prompt the suggestion in the bill which I submitted to the House. I said distinctly then that we did not intend to have separate depots at the various places of embarkaion.

"The suggestion is that a Commonwealth medical officer should be stationed in London, and it will be his duty to appoint in the various centres doctors who will be entitled to charge only a specified fee for examining anyone desirous of coming to Australia. That examination will take place in the town or village in which the prospective immigrant lives. A certificate issued by the local doctor will be sufficient to enable anyone to go on board a steamer.

"Besides that, I do not see any objection to a person who has a family doctor being examined by him, provided our representative is satisfied as to his credentials; and I am prepared to put that view before the medical man we appoint. On the same conditions I am quite satisfied that the certificate of any well-known doctor in England will be accepted for the purpose of the act. If, however, a family is examined by a private medical man, he will be at liberty to charge any fee, in contrast to the maximum which will be permitted under the new proposals. The idea is that doctors should be appointed in a very large number of centres, so that persons will be examined before they leave their homes. It will not be necessary then to run the risk of going even as far as London with the prospect of being turned back.

All Passengers Affected.

"Then, again, as to the question of examining first-class as well as third-class passengers. It seems to me a necessity for the convenience of all other travellers, as well as for the welfare of Australia, that proper and searching examination should be made in every case. The journey from England to Australia occupies as long as six weeks, and unfortunately there are a large number of consumptive persons and others suffering from infectious diseases in England. If one of these consumptives happened to secure a berth in the same cabin as a healthy traveller, it might be very unpleasant for all concerned during the whole trip. Where there was room on a steamer it is certain that such an infected passenger would be provided with a cabin to himself, but when all the accommodation is occupied, as frequently happens, it would be necessary for the consumptive to sleep and live in the same cabin and atmosphere as persons who were otherwise in good health. That seems to me to be highly undesirable. A six-weeks' trip is not like a run across the Atlantic.

Medical Certificate.

"As to persons coming on board at wayside ports and enjoying the special advantage of being only examined by the ship's medical officer, there is really no cause for congratulation. The bill says that the ship's officer must give a medical certificate for everyone on board, and the certificates must be handed in when the passengers are landing. This applies to everybody, whether they join at London or whether they join at a port en route.

"Great Britain has been specially named in this connection for the reason that at present immigration is being specially drawn from there. Nearly all the oversea settlers now arriving in the Australian states are embarked at British ports. That will explain also why steps are not to be immediately taken to establish examination centres in other countries. It must be admitted that the passenger joining a steamer away from Great Britain has only to undergo one examination, whereas the British immigrant is required to submit to two—an examination before leaving his home, and another by the ship's doctor. The advantage is, however, really with the passenger from Great Britain, in that he runs much less risk of being sent back again after reaching his destination, than the man who has only been examined once. Those who do not carry the prescribed credentials are much less liable to be refused admission to the Commonwealth when the final searching examination is made."

BASEBALL MEETINGS.

New York, Feb. 10.—To-day the American League schedule meeting is set to begin, with the probability that its sessions will continue till Wednesday or later. On the same day the International League will hold its schedule meeting. The National Commission will meet that afternoon. On Tuesday the National League magnates will open their session.

Public houses for women only are found in certain parts of Berlin.

RECOLLECTIONS OF THE INDIAN MARINE

RETURN PROPOSED TO FORMER CONDITIONS

Indian Princes May Create Navy for Policing of Their Shores

It is not generally known that an Indian navy existed for two centuries and a half, and performed valuable services in the interests of the British Empire in various parts of the East. It was disbanded less than fifty years ago.

It was in 1599 that the "Company of Adventurers Trading to the East," as the East India Company was at first styled, set out in the Red Dragon and three other vessels. From the first these pioneers of British commerce and British power had to defend themselves and their trade with the aid of naval force. The Indian navy commenced its career in 1612, when Captain Best defeated the Portuguese fleet off the waters of Surat. But its foundations were laid three years earlier, in April, 1609, when Captain Hawkins, of the East India Company's ship Hector, presented himself before Jehanjire in his palace at Agra, the first representative of his nation to stand in the presence of the great Mogul.

From its foundation in 1612 till its disbandment in 1863 the Indian navy had a varied and distinguished career. Its ships were seldom idle. Now they were suppressing piracy in the Persian Gulf, now pursuing Arab slave dealers on the East Coast of Africa. They assisted in the British occupation of Java, and in the capture of Kurrachee and Aden. Mauritius, Madagascar and Zanzibar were some of the African places to which they sailed, and the present territory known as British East Africa was more than once visited by them. They took part in the first China war, in operations against Maori chiefs in New Zealand, at the siege of Mooltan, in the first Persian war, in the occupation of Perim and the Andaman Islands, and finally in the Indian Mutiny. During the military operations following the Sepoy rebellion the Indian naval brigade, consisting of 1,800 officers and men and 40 guns, served for nearly three years, and performed many acts of valor, not the least useful service rendered during the Mutiny being the protection of Calcutta from possible massacre and plunder.

In the days before the telegraph and the impetus to trade by the opening up of the Suez Canal the only means of postal communication with the squadron was when one ship went to port to relieve another. Pirates had dominated the Persian Gulf from time immemorial, but the company's ships pursued them relentlessly, and their valuable surveys made the gulf something more than a "mare incognita." The headquarters of the fleet was Bombay, hence the name, "Bombay Marine," by which it was known for two hundred years. It was only in the early years of the last century that its name was changed to the Indian navy. It is interesting to recall that the commander of the first P. and O. vessel, Hindostan, was Captain Moresby, of the Indian navy. When the East India Company was taken over by the British government the fleet became also an Imperial possession, and was a charge on the Indian revenue. Its cost in later years was about £400,000; it rose to a million during the Indian Mutiny, and fell to £200,000 at the close of its career.

A Potential Convict.

Two incidents at least connected with the history of the Indian navy have a special interest for Australasia, one directly and the other indirectly. Commander Hawkins was tried in 1831 for engaging in slave dealing in Zanzibar, and was condemned "to be transported to the east coast of New South Wales for the term of seven years." There was much indignation in the service at what was deemed to be an unjust sentence, and various petitions were presented for its remission. However, Commander Hawkins sailed for Sydney on board the honorable company's sloop of war, Coote, under Commander Pepper. At Madras he was feted for three days by the entire community. When Commander Pepper reached Batavia he found important dispatches awaiting him, and he took it upon himself to return to England in spite of Hawkins' protest that it might appear that this course was taken at his instance. Pepper had with him a letter from Lord Clare, the Governor-General of India, to the Governor of Sydney, asking that Commander Hawkins might be treated as a gentleman. It was, however, not necessary to present this, as the petition to the King, which was signed by Lord Clare, and very extensively signed by naval and military officers, had the desired effect, and his Majesty granted the gallant officer a free pardon.

A SIBERIAN UNIVERSITY.

Tomsk is the home of the only university in Siberia. Founded in 1880 and opened seven years later, it now has a very creditable attendance, which has been considerably underrated, by the way, by writers on Siberian affairs. The private scholarship endowment fund in 1911 stood at $2,500,000. The library contains 110,000 volumes.

Nominally quite a separate concern, but practically affiliated with the university proper, is a great Institute of Technology, a school of mines. Like the university, it is government-built and subsidized. It is divided into three departments—mechanics, chemistry and civil engineering—and furnishes a five-year engineering course of ten terms, as compared with the four-year course to be found in Great Britain and the United States. The year opens in September, with the enrollment of some 1,700 students, but by January a couple of hundred have usually dropped out for some reason or other. Many students have to leave on account of home bereavements and straightened circumstances, though the attendance fee is only $25 a year. A hundred students come in free every year, with government scholarships.

Now where do all these students come from? Curiously, quite a large number from the far-away Caucasus, in Southern Russia. The Caucasians are splendid warriors, but poor students, prone to indolence and a lack of alacrity in catching the drift of what technical textbooks have to say. The entrance examinations to Russian universities are often too difficult for them, but those of the Tomsk are easier.—Travel.

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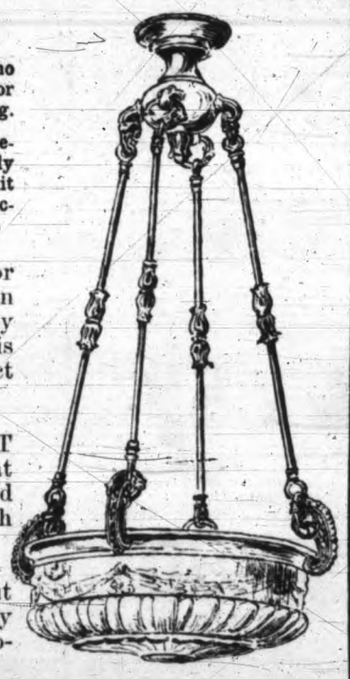

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SUDDEN DEATH CALLS VICTORIA CLUBWOMAN

Mrs. Waddington Dies of Hemorrhage—Prominent Officer of Victoria Club

Death came yesterday with tragic suddenness to Mrs. Waddington, at her residence, 15 Dallas avenue. She had been shopping downtown on Saturday night, apparently in her usual health and spirits, but on Sunday did not rise on account of a headache. During the day she became worse, and succumbed from hemorrhage of the brain before medical aid could reach her.

Mrs. Waddington came from Leeds, England, with her husband, F. W. Waddington, about ten or eleven years ago, and since took a prominent part in social and musical affairs. She was a prominent officer of the Victoria club from its foundation, fifteen months ago, and at the last annual meeting was unanimously elected to the office of secretary-treasurer.

Only recently she received a presentation from the club members for her splendid voluntary services to the club, which is one of the principal ladies' clubs in the city, and where she was held in the highest esteem both among her co-workers and the general membership. She was also interested in W. C. T. U. work.

Mrs. Waddington is survived by her mother, husband and two young sons. Much sympathy will be felt with them in the bereavement Mrs. Waddington being 41 years of age. There are also sisters surviving her in Leeds.

The funeral will leave the house at 2 o'clock to-morrow, and is due at Christ Church Cathedral at 2.30. Interment will take place subsequently at Ross Bay cemetery.

PAVING COMPANY HAS CHANGE IN OFFICIALS

Constructional Interests of Canadian Mineral Rubber Company Are Transferred

In view of the early opening up of paving operations in the city, probably in March next, a change has taken place in the superintendence branch of the Canadian Mineral Rubber Company in this city.

Supt. Ambery, who conducted the operations of the principal paving company in the city during the whole of last year and carried the business through the strike of the Industrial Workers of the World, now goes to Vancouver, and is replaced by Mr. Morrill, who has been superintending the work of the company at Calgary, and is himself a former resident of Victoria.

Mr. Morrill was introduced to aldermen and officials at the city hall this morning, and will at once take over the duties of the office. It is the intention of the company, Mr. Ambury said, to commence paving operations just as soon as the city is ready with the underground work on some of the principal streets where paving has been already let to the company. The organization of the company is in shape, and it is ready to commence with the beginning of next month. The intention is to complete the part of Douglas street which is unfinished, and then turn to the Gorge road. There are one or two houses to be moved on Douglas street before the widening has been completed, and the agreements with the city run out with the present month, notably that with the Woodkorkers, Limited.

Mr. Ambury will have important work on the lower mainland, the company having a large number of contracts in Vancouver city and the neighboring municipalities.

Man's Misery Promptly Banished

(From Man's Maladies.")

A certain sort of misery which causes a man to become abject in manner, timid, suspicious and jealous without real warrant, can be readily banished by a systematic nerve treatment which can be followed out in the privacy of home and restoration of a normal or natural condition speedily ensues.

A man feels and knows when he is not getting out of life all that it holds, and this knowledge makes the misery which occurs with such symptoms as unsteady gait, weak voice, downcast eyes, cold extremities, loss of flesh, loss of self control lack of self esteem, pains in the back and back part of head, shooting pains, heart palpitation, nervousness, sleeplessness, hollow eyes, sunken cheeks, colorless lips, dizziness and trembling.

The requirement to overcome these dreadful symptoms is a restoration of power and strength to the nervous system which has been poorly nourished or abused by thoughtless eating, drinking or social duties, perhaps superinduced by overwork. Keen, strong, sensitive nerves which carry every sensation or emotion to the brain centres of consciousness can and should be the possession of every living individual. Let this prescription be used and the results will surely reward the efforts. Obtain of any good druggist, three ounces of syrup sarsaparilla compound, in a six-ounce bottle. Add one ounce of compound fluid balmwort, shake and let stand for two hours, then add one ounce of tincture cadomene compound (not cardamom) and one ounce of compound essence cardiol. Mix. Shake well and take a teaspoonful after each meal and one when retiring. The three last named ingredients are specially prepared and powerful concentrations, much used in various prescriptions, but contain no opiates to harm the system.

POLICE MAGISTRATE MUST SHOW CAUSE

SUPREME COURT ASKED FOR PROHIBITORY WRIT

Lawyer Says the Magistrate Should Not Restrain Men From Earning Living

"Surely to goodness your Honor is there for something else than to prevent men from earning an honest living!" exclaimed J. A. Aikman in police court this morning when for the second time in ten days his client Charles W. Sparks was fined $25 and costs or ten days for driving a hack without the license required under a recent by-law.

Inasmuch as notice of appeal had been served from the former conviction Mr. Aikman asked for a stay of judgment until the appeal should be decided, saying that his client would starve if he were not permitted to engage in his regular work, the police having refused to issue him a license.

Magistrate Jay refused, and Mr. Aikman went to Mr. Justice Murphy and obtained an order directing the magistrate to show cause to-morrow morning why a writ of prohibition should not issue restraining him from proceeding further in the case. In the meantime execution of the judgment is automatically stayed.

Inspector James Palmer stated to the magistrate when the case was being tried that he had refused the license because Sparks was not a fit person to have a license.

"Why?" he was asked, and he stated that the accused was accustomed to associate with disorderly women.

"Do you mean to tell this court that there are disorderly women in Victoria?" asked Mr. Aikman. "I thought you had cleared them all out."

"Sometimes they are pretty hard to get hold of," answered the inspector.

"That proves, your honor," said Mr. Aikman, "that the by-law is illegal. It is a well-known principle in law that a municipality can regulate these occupations, but regulate does not mean prohibit. Especially a corporation cannot give a police officer the power to refuse a man the right to engage in any legal occupation. They can't prevent a man, from earning an honest living because he does not comply with a policeman's code of morals."

"Oh, I know all about these men," said Magistrate Jay. "They come over here from Seattle to drive hacks as a cloak for something else."

"A man is entitled to earn an honest living. I have appealed the other case and I think your worship should stay judgment until that appeal is decided."

"Fined $25, to be paid to-day, and in default, distress, and in default of distress, ten days," was the answer from the bench.

"Then I'll get a writ of prohibition," said Mr. Aikman and left the court. He obtained the order an hour or so later.

SERGEANTS DINE OFFICERS

Naval and Military Programme Discussed at Pleasant Event.

Major Beale outlined his idea for the Carnival Week next summer at the dinner given by the sergeants of the 88th Fusiliers to the officers and representatives of the other local military units Saturday evening. He thought $6,000 would be needed and solicited the aid of all military men in the city toward making the programme a success. Among the others who spoke or sang were Lieut.-Col. Hall, Major Wickes, Sergeant-Major Guest, Sergeant McVie, Color-Sergeant G. Moore, Captain Cullen, and others.

LOCAL NEWS

Rowland's Concert Band.—The concert given yesterday evening at the Victoria theatre by Rowland's Concert Band was quite up to the usual standard, a packed house being present, and a number of encores being given. Madame Marie Burnett and J. M. Miller gave their assistance, and the band numbers which call for special mention included Wagner's "Genis," from "Tannhauser"; the "Songs of England"; and Suppe's "Light Cavalry." Miss May German acted as accompanist, and R. G. Rowland conducted.

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Y. M. C. A. Meeting.—Yesterday afternoon's mass meeting of young men at the Y. M. C. A. was addressed by R. S. Day, of Victoria, who spoke on the work of the Laymen's Missionary Movement at the present time, making special reference to the work in China. Mrs. Jesse Longfield sang during the afternoon, and at the conclusion of the meeting the usual fellowship tea was held. At 9 o'clock the "round up" was held as usual, when H. J. Knott spoke for a short time to the members and others who had dropped in during the evening.

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St. Paul's Presbyterian Recital.—On Wednesday evening an organ recital and service of song will be given at St. Paul's church, Esquimalt, those who are to assist being Jesse Longfield, organist of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church; Alfred Codd, Mrs. Codd, Mrs. Longfield, T. Ross and others. The programme is a very interesting one, and during the evening a collection will be taken in aid of the organ fund. The next recital is announced to take place on Tuesday, February 25, when Edward Parsons, organist of the Metropolitan Methodist church, will have charge of the concert.

During the year 1911 the coinage issued from the British mint amounted to over 146,000,000 pieces, of a currency value of nearly £36,000,000

PROTESTING AGAINST FRANCHISE ASKED

Penticton Reeve Heads Delegation to Oppose Telephone Company's Application

A delegation composed of Reeve Foley-Bennett and J. C. Dufresne, of Penticton; J. L. Logan, J. M. Southerland and R. H. English, of Summerland, and F. A. Taylor, of Kelowna, arrived in the city last night and went to the Empress hotel, waiting to interview the provincial government in the matter of the franchise asked for by the Okanagan Telephone Company at this session.

The delegates, who will be introduced to-morrow morning by L. W. Shatford, M. P. P., strongly urge that the franchise asked for be not given, on the terms so far outlined.

At present the Okanagan Telephone Company is asking the provincial government to so amend its charter as that it will be enabled to operate a telegraph system throughout the county of Yale. The residents of the Okanagan protest on account of the alleged high rates of the company. G. H. Dobie, manager of the telephone company, at a meeting of the Armstrong Board of Trade recently, admitted that in certain cases the toll rates were higher than those of the government service, as the government charge was 25 cents for one minute, 30 cents for two minutes and 40 cents for three minutes, whereas for the distance from Vernon to Penticton the telephone company's rate was from 20 cents to 65 cents for three minutes. On the other hand the company claims that when an average of calls and distances is considered the company is giving cheaper service than the government lines.

The Vernon Board of Trade recently passed a resolution endorsing the application of the company; but the residents of the lower section of the valley are opposing it unless the company make further concessions.

OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred yesterday at the family residence, 402 Garbally road, of Rev. Joseph Hall, aged 70 years. The deceased, who was at one time a Methodist minister, has lived in the city for the past seventeen months. He succumbed to an attack of paralysis. The immediate relatives who survive him are: H. G. Hall, of this city; Rev. H. M. Hall, of Hamilton, Ont., both of whom are brothers of the deceased, and one sister, Mrs. E. A. Alway, of Bartonville, Ont., and his widow and family of sons and daughters. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Thomas Green officiating.

The funeral of Miss MacMillan took place on Saturday afternoon from the family residence, 1158 View street, Rev. F. Tapscott officiating. There was a large attendance of friends, and many beautiful floral tributes covered the casket. The following acted as pall-bearers: Mayor Beckwith, Messrs. J. S. Beckwith, A. J. Clyde, H. Moss, E. MacEachern and J. H. MacEachern.

The remains of the late Jeanette Burns, who died at Monrovia, Cal., arrived this afternoon by the Seattle boat, and are reposing at the Sands-Fulton Undertaking parlors in charge of which the funeral arrangements will be. These will be announced later.

News has been received in the city of the death of Mrs. Emily Sims, a native of Bristol, England, and sister of Tom Stockham, of Elk Lake. The deceased is survived by a family of six, two sons and four daughters.

The death occurred yesterday morning at St. Joseph's hospital, of James Campbell Stratford. The deceased, who was 65 years of age, was a shipwright by occupation. Born in Woodstock, Ont., he had lived in this city for the last twenty-eight years, and was for a long time connected with the sealing industry in Victoria. He had also been connected both here and in Vancouver with shipbuilding. It is just about ten days ago since Mr. Stratford returned from a six-months' trip to Australia, whither he was accompanied by his wife, who predeceased him by a few months only. He is survived by three sons—Arthur, of Langley Prairie, B. C.; Hugo, of Stewart, B. C.; and Capt. F. C. Stratford, of this city; one daughter, Mrs. Bucholz, of Vancouver; a brother, Jno. Hugo Stratford; one sister, Mrs. Causeland, of Vancouver; and a nephew, H. O. Stratford, also of this city. The funeral will take place at 2.30 on Wednesday from the British Columbia Funeral chapel, Rev. Hermon Carson, officiating.

The funeral took place this morning from the British Columbia Funeral parlors, of Wong Gong, a Chinese, who died on Saturday afternoon at the Chinese hospital. He was 45 years of age, and had been employed in a cannery on the Island. He is survived in Canton, his native province, by his wife. Interment took place at the Chinese cemetery.

A pair of exceedingly rare animals in the shape of European bisons arrived the other day at the London Zoo, having been shipped from Hamburg by Hagenbeck, the well known animal dealer. These great creatures, which used to wander over a large area of Europe, are now restricted to the forests of Lithuania and the Caucasus. The Lithuanian herds are specially protected by the Russian government, and are under the charge of a staff of keepers, but those of the Caucasus are very wild. One peculiar feature of the Caucasian bison, as compared with its Lithuanian brother, is that its hair is not nearly so thick, though it lives at a far higher altitude, and is thus exposed to more intense cold.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Victoria Carnival Week, August 4th to 9th, 1913.

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W. M. Mouat, is in town from Ganges, B. C.

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Frank Alway, of Middleton, is among the guests at the Ritz hotel.

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E. M. Gerald, of Vancouver, is at the Ritz hotel.

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William Platt is a guest at the Ritz hotel from Vancouver.

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J. P. Schumm and Mrs. Schumm, of McTaggart, Sask., are at the Ritz hotel.

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R. Winterson is a guest at the Ritz hotel from Seattle.

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A. Monteith, of Vancouver, is registered at the Ritz hotel.

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Robert Lowe, of Vancouver, is staying at the Ritz hotel.

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Mrs. Powers and family were at Langford lake for the week-end.

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H. C. Pettel and Mrs. Pettel, of Los Angeles, are guests at the Ritz hotel.

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Dr. Richmond came from Seattle and registered yesterday at the Ritz hotel.

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C. O. Jackson, of Vancouver, is among the guests at the Ritz hotel.

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Philip H. Ward, jr., of Philadelphia, is staying at the Empress hotel.

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Napier Smith, of Montreal, is staying at the Empress hotel.

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Jefferson Davis, a Grand Forks resident, is in the city for a few days, and is registered at the Empress hotel.

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J. C. O'Donnell, a realty operator of Winnipeg, is in the city, and is registered at the Empress hotel.

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A. E. Parker, of London, England, arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday.

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A. E. McBride, a financial man of Winnipeg, is at the Empress hotel for a few days.

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A. A. and C. V. Mercer, two Vancouver business men, are staying at the Empress hotel.

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John W. Sordy, of Winnipeg, is spending a short time in the city. He is registered at the Ritz hotel.

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R. L. Bigby, of Seattle, is spending a short time in the city and is staying at the Ritz hotel.

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John H. Stratford, a Vancouver business man, is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

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A. D. Walton and Mrs. Walton, of Vancouver, are staying at the Strathcona hotel.

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J. H. Meers, of Seattle, is in the city on business, and is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

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Prof. E. G. Wickens is convalescing as well as can be expected after his recent severe illness.

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G. A. Leitch and Mrs. Leitch, of Smith Falls, Ont., are in the city on a holiday trip, and are staying at the Strathcona hotel.

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Mrs. (Captain) Bucholtz, of Vancouver, is staying at the Strathcona hotel for a few days.

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Mrs. E. J. McCausland, of Vancouver, is spending a few days in the city, and is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

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E. B. Landon, a well-known Medicine Hate business man, is in the city on business, and is registered at the Dominion hotel.

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A. Cronin, a well known mining man of the Yukon, arrived at the Dominion hotel yesterday, and will spend some time in the city.

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W. L. Rice, of Lansing, Michigan, the large furniture and auotmobile manufacturing expedition, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

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Mrs. E. A. and Miss Alice Hunter, two well known Vancouver ladies, are in the city on a vacation, and are staying at the Strathcona hotel.

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Charles Conner and James E. Simmons, two Toronto business men, are in the city for a few days, and are staying at the Strathcona hotel.

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J. F. Fitzpatrick and Mrs. Fitzpatrick, of Winnipeg, who are well known here, are spending a vacation in the city, and are staying at the Dominion hotel.

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D. McVicar, wife and daughter, came to the city yesterday, completing a tour from London, Eng. While they are staying here they are guests at the Ritz hotel.

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Mrs. Robert Dinsdale, of 3020 Quadra street, will receive on Thursday, February 13, and on the second Thursday of each ensuing month.

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H. B. Jackson, manager of the Empress hotel, left last evening on a flying visit to Vancouver. He expects to return here this evening.

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G. I. Wilson, president of the Inland Coal & Coke Company, was at the Empress hotel yesterday on a flying visit to the city.

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Mr. and Mrs. Chetwynd, of Walhachin, near Kamloops, are staying at the Empress hotel. Mr. Chetwynd is a fruit grower in that district.

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E. A. Bray, who is interested in the incorporation of Port Moody, which is being considered by the provincial government, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

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IDEAS OF A PLAIN MAN

By DR. FRANK CRANE.

It is the things half-seen that are the charm of thought.

"To name a thing," says Remy de Goncourt "is to take away three-quarters of the enjoyment of your poem, where the delight consists in guessing little by little the meaning; to suggest, that is the dream."

It is not the tone but the overtones of a book or of a song that sound in the heart.

The genius is not the writer who gives us images, but the one that sets us off to creating our own images.

It is not the choice and concinnity of your words to me; it is that mystery of echo and flavor they carry; that profits me.

The inextinguishable thirst of the soul is the thirst for the infinite. We can no more live without the droppings from its mystery than we can live without the rain from the clouds.

Such as Poe, too, has his mission, for he takes us "into the starry meadows beyond Orion, where, for pansies and violets and hearts-ease, are the beds of the triplicate and triple-tinted suns."

THE EVENING CHIT-CHAT

By RUTH CAMERON

A dear little newly wed friend of mine who is usually the cheeriest thing in the world, came to me the other day with the corners of her mouth turned way down. I feared it meant the first quarrel and waited for confidences. In a little while they came, but they were not what I expected. It seems that her husband had been very blue lately; there were changes at the office, he said; he might possibly lose his position, and she was terribly worried and could hardly sleep for anxiety.

"Bless your heart, my dear," I said, "is that all?" I thought you had quarreled with John. How long have you been married? Eight months? And this is the first time John has felt that way? Well, my dear, you're lucky. Most business men have those spasms oftener than that."

I wonder if there is a wife among my reader friends who has not passed through a similar experience. I wonder if there is a business man or woman who has worked for other people, who has not passed through periods when it seemed to him that his employer was dissatisfied with his work and that he was in danger of being dispensed with.

I doubt it.

If that young bride had ever been a business woman herself I don't think she would have felt quite so worried. Of course she would have felt some anxious, no one could have helped that. But she would have known that it was nine chances to one that her husband saw things blacker than they were, and that in a few days he would be wondering what had troubled him so much.

It seems to be a queer quirk in most of us that we alternately consider ourselves absolutely indispensable, and wonder how soon we are going to be fired.

I know myself that I alternate between wondering why I am paid anything and why I am not paid twice as much as I am.

Of course sometimes one's premonitions of trouble prove right, but ninety-nine times out of one hundred the cloud rolls by and proves to have been nothing but the vapor of our own imaginings, or at most a little temporary shower cloud.

I well remember one young newspaper reporter, who had been telling me for a week that he felt sure he was going to be fired. Just as he was making one of these gloomy prognostications a summons came for him to go to the editor's office. "There, I told you so," he said. The editor commended him for his excellent work and raised his pay.

I was talking over the whole matter with a very sensible and keen-minded young man the other day. There had been revolutionary changes of management in his office, and he certainly had some reason to fear for his head. He said as much, and then he squared his shoulders and declared cheerfully, "But I'm not worrying about it. They can take away my position, but they can't take away my health or my brains and ability."

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Ruth Cameron

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Nanaimo—Monday, February 17th, at 8 p. m., Court House.

Cumberland—Wednesday, February 19th, at 8 p. m.

Alberni—Monday, February 24th, at 8 p. m.

Ladysmith—Tuesday, February 25th, at 3.30 p. m.

Steveston—Monday, March 3rd, at 2.30 p. m.

Chilliwack—Tuesday, March 4th, at 2.30 p. m.

New Westminster—Thursday, March 6th, at 11 a. m., City Hall.

Vancouver—Friday, March 7th, at 10 a. m., Court House.

The Commission is empowered to inquire into all matters affecting the conditions of labor in British Columbia. All persons interested are invited to attend and give evidence.

H. G. PARSON,
Chairman.

F. R. McNAMARA,
Secretary.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the "Creditors Trust Deeds Act."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Andrew Tait, of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, and there carrying on business as a Grocer at number 1038 Pandora Street, by deed of assignment bearing date the 29th day of January, 1913, assigned all the real and personal property, credits and effects of him, the said Andrew Tait, which may be seized and sold under execution to Archibald T. Pearce, Clerk, of 1038 Hillside Avenue in the City of Victoria aforesaid, IN TRUST for the purpose of paying and satisfying ratably and proportionately without preference or priority all the creditors of the assignor his just debts according to law:

ALL CREDITORS having claims against the said Andrew Tait are required to forward particulars of the same duly verified to the said Archibald T. Pearce, care of R. P. Rithet & Co., Ltd., of Wharf Street, Victoria aforesaid, on or before the 15th day of March, 1913, after which date the said trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he then shall have notice:

NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN that a meeting of the creditors of the said Andrew Tait is called for Wednesday, the 12th day of February, 1913, at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon at the office of R. P. Rithet & Co., Ltd. Liability, Wharf Street, Victoria, B. C., in pursuance of the said Act for the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the said estate.

DATED at Victoria, B. C., this 31st day of January, 1913.

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STATUS OF CITY IN MONETARY MATTERS

FINANCIAL STATEMENT WILL BE CONSIDERED

Council Session This Evening Promises to Be Light One—Question of Policy

The report of the chairman of the finance committee, Alderman Cuthbert, on the financial situation of the city, which was presented to the city council on Monday and laid over for consideration, will be taken up this evening. There does not appear to be any definite action which can be taken on the report, although some of the items invite discussion. However, with the knowledge that the estimates have to be considered shortly, the council is practically compelled to accept the figures as presented to it. It is a curious fact that none of the financial reports which were presented to the council, or used on the platform during the recent campaign, agree, but it is claimed that the latest statement is the official one, by which the committee stands or falls.

Until the validating legislation is passed, and the city sells its debentures, a large block of which are to be placed on the market at an early date, the council will of necessity have to go slowly and curtail even expenditure which has hitherto been regarded as essential at the commencement of a new municipal year. Applications are already flowing into the various departments asking for different works to be carried out, and there is a large class of city workmen with homes and families to maintain who are looking for an opening up of public undertakings, particularly those in connection with sewers and paving operations.

At the meeting of the council, this evening the aldermen will have to decide the knotty problem of contract versus day labor. The contractors in the city asked for an opportunity to express their opinion in favor of bids of a limited quantity being let so that the local men would have an opportunity to tender. However, as several of the aldermen pledged themselves to the day labor system, they will find it difficult to get away from the system which, in spite of mistakes, has at any rate retained the control of the work directly in the hands of the city.

The fourth report of Consulting Engineer Wynn Meredith on the Sooke waterworks has never yet been disposed of and has lain on the table for action for the past two weeks. The Westholme Lumber Company is confident it will be able to show the city officials that it will be able to carry the pressure pipe to Parson's Bridge this summer in time for connection with the main from Goldstream lakes. Of the three weeks given in which to prove its capacity to fabricate the pipe at Thetis Cove, two more remain before the council will definitely decide to go to Harriet road for a connection.

ZOBEIR PASHA.

I was startled to read the other day of the death of Zoleir Pasha. I thought him dead these twenty years at least. History knows nothing of him after the middle of the eighties. His death causes not a ripple on the pool of Egyptian politics, and yet once upon a time he was the indispensable man, and the failure to use his services was a main cause of the tragedy of Khartoum.

When the cabinet met to consider Gordon's request for Zobeir Mr. Gladstone was in bed with a cold, reading "Sybil," as his diary tells us. A member of the cabinet went up to his room and explained that his colleagues dared not recommend the despatch of Zobeir. The party in the Commons would never stand it. "The minister, on his return," says Lord Morley, "reported with some ironic amusement that Mr. Gladstone considered it very likely that they could not bring parliament to swallow Zobeir, but believed that he himself could." The Queen supported the prime minister, and for four days the issue remained open. At last, on Saturday, January 15, the cabinet decided not to send Zobeir, and thus, in effect, signed Gordon's death warrant. —World.

The "Triple Alliance" is the name given to the understanding between Germany, Austria and Italy, adopted in 1883.

The largest lighthouse in the world is at Hayre.

HEAVY TRUCK PASSED OVER BASE OF SKULL

Harry Strachan, Teamster, Almost Instantly Killed When Horses Started Forward

When the truck which he was driving started forward suddenly about 6.30 Saturday evening, Harry Strachan was thrown off and fell with his head just in front of the rear wheel. The weight of the heavy vehicle was dragged across his skull by the horses and he died before the motor patrol could convey him to the office of Dr. Bapty. The accident happened in North Douglas street.

Strachan, who was a single man and an Englishman, was not the regular driver of the truck in question, although he was in the employ of Jeeves & Company, the owners. He had consented to drive the truck to the stable for a fellow-employee, and with him on the seat was Christopher Christianson. When they mounted the seat Strachan leaned forward to pick up the reins and just at that instant the team started forward without warning, causing the fatal accident.

Strachan had been in Victoria for about five years but is not known to have any relatives. An inquest will be held by Coroner Hart to-day.

THOUSAND DOLLARS PAID TO WRONG MAN

Bank Out $1,000—Man Who Got It Had Right Name, W. J. Watson

A curious coincidence led to the wrongful payment of $1,000 by the local branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce to W. J. Watson, a laborer, who has since gone to England. This man Watson was known to be expecting money from the Old Country and when a cable from England instructed the bank to pay an undescribed W. J. Watson $1,000 it was naturally assumed that this was the man. Watson also evidently believed it, for he employed the money in the purpose for which he said his own money was coming, to take him home to England.

A few days later another W. J. Watson, associated with the Tyee Copper Company, entered the bank and asked for the $1,000 which he had been instructed was at the bank for him. A few inquiries and a cablegram showed that this was the man the money was meant for, and the bank paid him at once.

Now the W. J. Watson on his way home to England is being diligently sought, but so far has not been found.

THE PASSING SHOW

Empress Theatre.

Indications are that the same crowded houses will greet the performers of the Empress theatre when they appear on the stage of the Victoria theatre this week as if they were on at the Empress. Bud Snyder, in the sensational exhibition of trick bicycle riding, easily maintains his reputation. That grand old man of baseball, Capt. Anson, relates some of the chief features of his career when he led the old White Sox of Chicago. Jack Ark makes his American debut here this week as a manipuator of the diabolo. He introduces several unusual features. Eddie Borden and Irene Shannon introduce an attractive singing and comedy turn. Bessie La Count is a winsome imitator of celebrities. The pictures shown on the Enfpresscope are right up to the minute.

Adeline Genee.

When Adeline Genee was sixteen, the intendant of the Royal Opera in Berlin, engaged her as the premiere danseuse to succeed Balbo, one of the most celebrated dancers in the world. That took place not many years ago either, as Genee is only in her early twenties. Offers from many opera houses were received by the petite dancer's family, and she was finally taken to Stettin, Germany, where she appeared under the management of her uncle. Then followed the exciting experience of being engaged for Emperor William's pet opera in the Prussian capital. At the conclusion of her engagement in Berlin, Genee spent a year in Munich, and then followed her appearance at the Empire theatre in London. This season in America, Genee is offering among her numbers, "La Camargo," a beautiful new ballet with the setting laid at the Royal Palace in Versailles. Genee will appear at the Victoria theatre on Tuesday, February 18.

Majestic Theatre.

"The Vengeance of Durand." The vengeance which Durand nurtured for another enters his own soul. The weapon which he sharpened with jealousy and hatred, and placed in his daughter's hand, is turned against himself. "Pathe's Weekly No. 5," needs no special pleading. "Paris and It's Monuments." The view of the tomb of Napoleon dissolves into the figure of "The Little Corporal." "The Electric Laundry," an humorous automatic laundry. There are other features for to-day and Tuesday.

The total Indian population of the Dominion of Canada on March 31 last was 104,936. In addition there were 4,690 Esquimaux, making a native population of 109,556.

A cat may look at a king but a man with hay fever would sneeze at anything.

Memory, it has been ascertained, is stronger in summer than in winter.

OWNERS MUST LOWER SWAN LAKE, NOT PUBLIC

Municipal Authority Does Not Regard It as Function of Public to Do So

Some years ago the level of Swan Lake, the beautiful sheet of water between the East Saanich road and Glanford avenue, was lowered by the property owners.

Now it is proposed again to lower the level of the lake. A petition came in to the Saanich municipal council on Saturday asking the council to undertake the work under the provisions of the Municipal Act and Local Improvement Act. Herbert Cuthbert & Company are the prime supporters of the movement.

The council was unanimous in the opinion that it had no power to do such work and that action must be taken by the holders of the land. The petition had asked for four feet of water to be drained off, and Councillor Dunn pointed out that as an engineering problem such a course was impossible. The ditches carrying the overflow off could not care for much more water. Previously, when 18 inches was taken off the level, the ditches were filled.

Councillor McGregor observed that he did not think the council would be allowed to borrow money for the purpose suggested.

Councillor Williams wanted to know who would claim the ground recovered.

Councillor McGregor suggested that the council should reply that owing to the stringency of the money market the scheme was not feasible at the present time.

As Reeve Nicholson pointed out that the proposal must be either accepted or rejected, a decision was then reached to reject the scheme.

A DAY AHEAD.

His Honor Justice William A. Hocker, of the Supreme bench of Florida, freshly shaven and garbed in his best Sunday rig, was all ready to accompany his wife to church. Just before they started out, however, his wife was detained by a ring at the telephone, and the judge heard her shocked tones answering:

"Oh! I'm much obliged—and if it was any other day I should be glad to come—but I never play cards on Sunday! . . . Not Sunday! . . . Why for pity's sake! . . . How did we get so mixed up?"

Down at the state house a much-perturbed quartet of Supreme court judges filed into the courtroom and took their seats. They had waited for their colleague until the last moment, for the case on hand was a most important one, and his presence was specially desired. But they had sat for nearly an hour before Judge Hocker, his Sunday coat-tails flying, hastily entered the door, climbed the rostrum, and sank exhaustedly into his seat, muttering: "I thought to-day was Sunday!"—Judge.

THE LIFE STORY OF A FAMOUS APACHE

Was the Jack Sheppard of Paris—Ended His Adventurous Career on Scaffold

Although the Parisian apache has for some time past loomed largely in the public eye, he is by no means a new figure in the annals of French criminology.

Louis Dominique Cartouche, whose exploits rival those of the legendary Jack Sheppard (says Chamber's Journal), was born in Paris in the year 1693. He was the son of a cooper, and might have followed in his father's honest footsteps if he had not been carried off, at the age of twelve, by a company of strolling acrobats. This was the beginning of an adventurous life which ended on the scaffold.

After spending a few years in traveling about the country with his captors, he became valet to a nobleman, whom he soon plundered. He then began to frequent gambling saloons, from which he was expelled owing to his unnatural and extraordinary good luck. After a few years' service in the army he returned to Paris, where he earned a scanty living by picking pockets.

Contemporary writers describe him as a very small man, barely five feet high, and extremely slight. They add, however, that he was possessed of extraordinary agility; he could, in fact, throw a somersault forwards and backwards, and dance on the tight-rope.

He was also very very skilful in the use of sword, pistol, and singlestick, and could rival any actor in the art of impersonation and "make-up."

A Terrible Band.

After his return to Paris he joined a notorious thief named Galichon. This was the beginning of that famous band of rogues which shortly after began to terrorize the capital.

Cartouche soon took the lead, and the organization of his men was superior to that of the police. The young chief—he was only twenty-four—had six lieutenants who alone knew him. They transmitted his orders to a small army of subordinates.

Besides these, a large number of "indicators," among whom were innkeepers, discharged soldiers, and even gendarmes, gave information to simplify proposed robberies, acted as receivers of stolen property, and covered up the master's retreat. There were, besides, forty women belonging to the gang.

It was in Paris that Cartouche brought off his most triumphant coups. One of his subordinates, called Simon the Auvergnal, was a specialist in the trick known in the music halls as the "living pyramid."

When he had placed himself in position at the foot of a wall, other members of the gang climbed on to his massive shoulders, and so easily gained access to the windows on the first floor. It was at this time that Parisians began to make use of iron-barred windows, of which a number may still be seen in the older parts of Paris. In order to surmount this obstacle the thieves used sharp grappling irons, with which they dragged clothes and other household goods to the window. Sometimes they made a living "catch," whose screams mightily amused them.

Panic-Stricken City.

In 1720 the whole city was in a state of panic, and the government saw that something must be done to allay the terror of the people.

A crier was ordered to announce in every part of Paris that a reward of twenty thousand francs would be given for the body of Cartouche, alive or dead. The crier was escorted by a company of sixty archers. The first proclamation was made in front of the Palais de Justice, and then the procession made its way to a square known as the Croix Rouge. The crier had just begun, "In the name of the king, order is given to arrest and hold Louis Dominique Cartouche," when a voice coming from the middle of the crowd shouted, "Cartouche! Here he is!"

A second afterwards crier, archers, and public had all fled, leaving a small man dressed in grey standing alone in the middle of the square.

Walter Damrosch was talking about a composer who has of late been turning out his operas too fast.

"By the way," a critic asked, "what was the motive of that last work of his, do you know?"

"Yes, of course, I know," said Mr. Damrosch. "He needed the money."—New York Tribune.

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FOUR HORSES ARE ROASTED AT FIRE

STABLE BURNS BRISKLY IN THE EARLY HOURS

Outbreak at Burridge Mercantile Co.'s Premises Set Down to Incendiary Origin

Four horses were roasted at a fire which occurred yesterday morning at the stables of the Burridge Mercantile Company, successors to Johns Brothers, the well known grocers at the corner of Douglas street and King's road.

The fire, which is held to be of incendiary origin, had its birth in the loft above the stalls and quickly spread, sending a sheet of flame skywards in a few moments. The department had just returned from two false alarms sent in at different parts of the city when the alarm came to headquarters at 3.15 a. m. On arrival at the scene it was at once observed that the horses were beyond aid, and had died in the struggle to free themselves. Attention was accordingly directed to saving the main building, to which the stables of frame construction are attached. The department succeeded in cutting off the conflagration, and restricted the outbreak to the stable.

The death agony of the unhappy animals must have been terrible, as they fought to get free from their confinement in the fierce heat and suffocating smoke. The loss on stock to Mr. Burridge is about $1,000, not covered by insurance.

The building was to have been removed to make way for the street widening at this point as soon as the new stores across the way were ready for occupancy, so that the value of the building, which belongs to Colonel Barclay, of London, Eng., is not regarded as representing a large sum. This property is covered with insurance policies with various companies.

The stable was lighted with electric light and the naked lanterns were not allowed to be used inside. It had been safely closed at 11 p. m. on Saturday. On the previous day a quantity of dry fodder had been added and this proved tinder for the flames. The carcasses of the animals burnt were removed this morning.

"Oh," said the stranger in the interview with Timkins, "what I want is a reliable clerk for the weighing room. One who knows what's what. Do you understand?"

Timkins nodded.

"You know your weights and measures tables, of course?" went on the manager. "You might just run them now."

"Fifteen ounces made one pound—" began Timkins.

"Go in and start at once," cried the manager, with a grin of satisfaction. "You're the man for me!"—Weekly Telegraph.

In Japan school children are taught to write with both hands.

NICOLA HAMPERED BY FREIGHT RATES

Despite Conditions One Mine is Producing Four Hundred Tons Daily

G. I. Wilson, president of the Inland Coal & Coke Company, arrived in the city yesterday after spending several months in California. Asked what the attitude of the coal owners of the Nicola field would be towards the commission appointed to investigate coal mining conditions in the province, he said that the operators in that field are prepared to give every assistance possible.

The Nicola coalfields are among the largest in Canada, and heretofore the greater part of their output has been shipped east or sold to the Canadian Pacific railway at the tipple. The freight rate per ton to Vancouver is $1.80, and this has prevented the operators shipping to the coast market. Asked what prospects there were of securing a slight reduction in this rate, which would open the Vancouver market, Mr. Wilson said:

"We have had to abandon the matter of the Vancouver market until such time as the Coquahalla link on the Kettle Valley railway is completed. That will reduce the haul to Vancouver by about 60 or 70 miles, and with that there must be a material reduction in the freight rates. Just now we are compelled to confine ourselves to the eastern provincial market. The greater part of the output of the Inland Coal & Coke Company's product has been sold to the railway, they receiving it on the cars at the tipple."

The Inland Coal & Coke Company is a close corporation capitalized at $1,500,000. The owners are G. I. Wilson, W. L. Nicol, D. J. Macdonnell and Joseph Graham, the last being the general manager. The property was prospected as the Coal Hill Syndicate, and when five seams had been uncovered, showing the resources of the property, the business was incorporated under its present title. There are now 125 men at work, producing 400 tons per day. The mine is worked on an 80 per cent. development basis; that is to say, only 20 per cent. of the coal uncovered is taken out, the "pillars" being unusually large. By this means, when the railway through the Coquahalla is completed, it will be possible to ship at the rate of 1,500 tons per day with a minimum ton cost.

The company has a new tipple and gravity tramway, which cost about $150,000, and it is contemplating the installation of washing and sorting tables in the near future.

OUR LETTER BOX

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Letters for publication in Daily Times must be received before 10 a.m. When received after that hour they will go over until next day.

While unobjectionable anonymous communications will be published, the name and address of every writer of such letters must be given to the editor.

SINGLE TAX.

To the Editor.—May I be allowed to reply to Mr. O'Riley's letter on the single tax. Taxation in farm districts now falls upon both land values and improvements. Single taxers want the former to bear the whole and Mr. O'Riley wants the latter to bear the whole. As the former at present yields about three-fourths of the revenue, the proposal of the single taxers is that there be an increase in the land value tax of one-fourth. Mr. O'Riley, on the other hand, wants the improvement tax trebled. Single taxers think that to remove the tax on improvements will encourage them. Mr. O'Riley thinks that to treble the tax will encourage them. Let your readers decide who is right. I leave your correspondent to explain in what manner he can put a super tax on wild land speculators if he abolishes the tax on land values.

Let us turn with Mr. O'Riley to Victoria city. He begins by expressing the opinion that single tax lifts the burden from the rich man and places it upon the poor man. This he attempts to prove by means of an illustration. Now illustrations can never prove anything. They can only illustrate. For the purpose of illustration Mr. O'Riley assumes that a $50,000 residence is built upon land worth $2,000 and proceeds to draw certain deductions. Now I am inclined to doubt if there is any residence in Victoria worth $50,000 standing upon land worth only $2,000. Can Mr. O'Riley quote such a case? If not his argument must fall.

But why take fictitious cases for illustration. Let your correspondent turn to the assessment roll and give some actual facts. I think he will find it very difficult to find any instance where the operation of the single tax has increased the taxation of small properties where the improvements are worth, say, $2,000, and the lot, say, $1,000. It is the holders of vacant lots who are being cinched.

Mr. O'Riley has yet to learn that the number of apartment houses depends not upon the avariciousness of owners, but upon the demand for such accommodation. And the demand for such will certainly not be increased by forcing owners to build houses on the thousands of vacant lots in the city. This will reduce rents and give everyone who wants a private home the chance to get it.

Probably Mr. O'Riley is not serious in suggesting that single tax is the cause of slums. In view of the slums of London, Liverpool, Dublin, New York, Chicago and numerous other anti-single tax cities, I think the less an advocate of the old system says about slums the better.

In conclusion let me say that no intelligent single taxer supposes for one moment that the single tax limited will do away with all the evils of national and municipal life. We regard it as but a step to the single tax unlimited.

E. S. WOODWARD,
Henry George Association.
Victoria, B. C., Feb. 8, 1913.

CASE OF THE WORKINGMAN.

To the Editor: We read of the enthusiastic meeting held yesterday where 150 business men are willing to contribute toward the $50,000 for the Carnival which will take place in August. This sounds all right—and good. Everyone should be in favor of anything that will be for the good and benefit of our city. But, sir, do you not think it would be more to the point if Mayor Beckwith would call a special meeting and inquire into the ways and means to provide work for the husband and father who at this time of the year has to walk around to look for a job. They say there's no money for wages. If that's so there's something wrong somewhere. That does not sound like prosperity for Victoria. It's the workingman's money that keeps things moving and business men will tell you they are their best creditors. So if there's no work or wages it is time some inquiry was made into the financial department of the city. Charity begins at home.

M. NOBLE.

PRESS AND SUFFRAGETTES.

To the Editor:—Ruminating in my quiet way over various things, sitting by my lonely fireside, bereft as it is of the companionship which only female fellowship can bring, many things strike me as at least plausible, if not probable. Perhaps some of them may be castles in Spain, mayhap some of them may have a germ of sense awaiting fruition.

I may say that I have always had a very high regard for womanhood, in her best form. I have always looked up to her as something to be revered and protected to the last ounce of strength in the—what I have always considered the coarser being—the male of the sex. I have always thought that the female of our sex was something which it was our bounden duty to protect in so far as in us lay from insult, wrong and harm. That has been the guiding star of my life. I do not yet admit I am wrong in my instincts.

It has always been the male who has been called upon—as seems right and proper—to fend for, protect and cherish the female. The world has gone on for a considerable time on this basis quite satisfactorily, until now, when the female apparently wishes to put us men into petticoats and run the world to suit themselves. I refer, sir, to this suffragette movement in Great Britain and elsewhere.

The whole proposition is eminently silly and uncalled for. It is a menace to our national safety, and is one which is easily to be suppressed, if we have the stamina and go the right way about it.

Women are by nature hysterical, if not more so at certain periods of their lives. Nature has endowed them so, and they cannot help it. A great wave of what you might term women hysterics is at the present time sweeping over the nation. It is spreading, and it will spread further to our detriment unless it is checked. It is a great wave of national hysterics or incipient insanity. The cause is very apparent to me, and the cure is just as apparent.

The movement is absolutely and wholly dependent upon publicity, and publicity is only to be obtained through the press, so that therefore the press is wholly responsible for this insane movement.

If the daily press of Victoria, for instance, published none of this news of the escapades of the militant sisters in England, what sister in Victoria would know such a movement was in existence? If a militant sister came to town and delivered an address before a certain club, and the press was dumb to the fact, who, except those who were present, would be aware of the fact?

My idea is, and I feel certain that it would in a short time give a quietus to the movement, is that the press declare an absolute boycott on suffragette news. Put it all in the waste paper basket. Great Britain is a man's country; let it continue to be run by men. We have done it for some few years, and I imagine we can continue doing so.

I would propose that the press of Victoria declare an absolute boycott on women suffragette news, and that they pass the word on to other cities so that they may be inducede to join in the good work. I feel sure that if this method were generally adopted in Canada, the British Isles would soon sit up and take notice, and the evil would soon die a natural death.

If a woman commits a crime in the name of suffragettism, let her be arrested, sentenced and imprisoned without any particular note. Nobody but herself and those in the court know or hear anything of the case. She is no longer a martyr, and the glamour is rubbed off the incident so far as she and her cause are concerned. Ignore her and her cause completely, and you strike at the root of the evil.

You will miss many a column of news matter, but you will eliminate many a column of nauseating stuff which it is no pleasure for a man to read.

I think Victoria, which is the farthest outpost of the Empire, is a good place for the boycott to start, and my proposition is that it start right here.

WILLIAM CHRISTIE.
941 Mears Street.

THE WILDS OF BRITAIN.

The difficulty, not to say the dangers, experienced in procuring a medical visit in the highlands may be further illustrated by an instance from Inverness-shire. A stalker in a remote beat of Benalder Forest had been so long and latterly so seriously ill with influenza that a determined effort had to be made to secure a visit from the Laggan doctor. Driving or riding in the storm which then prevailed was out of the question; walking was the only course, and that was attended with no small danger. The difficulties encountered and the risks which were run were such that the doctor received a medal from the Carnegie Hero Fund, and the two guides each a silver watch and £5.—Glasgow News.

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CHIEF DOMINION OFFICER SPEAKS

COMMISSIONER REES IS HEARD BY MANY PEOPLE

Addresses Packed Houses on Work of the Salvation Army

Commissioner Rees, chief officer for the Salvation Army in Canada, Newfoundland and the Bermudas, arrived in the city on Saturday evening last in the course of a tour of the Dominion specially organized in connection with a study of the social conditions with relation to immigration. The commissioner, who was accompanied here by Colonel Turner, property and immigration secretary for Canada; Colonel Rees, secretary for the men's social work throughout the Dominion; Brigadier and Mrs. Green, of Vancouver, provincial officers, staff-Captains White and Crichton, and his private secretary, Adjutant Dellow, spoke yesterday afternoon at the Crystal theatre to a very large audience.

The premier, Sir Richard McBride, occupied the chair, in addition to whom, and the officers accompanying the commissioner, the local Salvation officers, Ensign and Mrs. MacDonald, a number of clergymen, and several of the city aldermen occupied seats on the platform.

Speaking on the subject, "The World Wide Work of the Salvation Army," the commissioner outlined the three main divisions of the army: (1) The field work, which consists of all the work carried on by local organizations in inside rescue work, open-air work, etc. (2) The social work, this again being subdivided into several different classes consisting of the men's social work, with its 1,048 institutions and its 2,067 officers devoting their entire time to the rescue of men. Three hundred of these officers are working in Canada. The Salvation Army operates 185 labor bureaus throughout the world, 18 prison-gate homes, 10 inebriate homes, 87 children's homes, 117 rescue homes, thirteen of which are in the Dominion; 25 maternity hospitals, thirteen of which are in the Dominion, and 22 social homes for men.

The statistics quoted for Canada by the commissioner showed that during the last year 2,142 men were met on discharge from prisons, were given assistance, and were helped into positions. During the same period 2,800 fallen women passed through the Rescue Homes, and 2,697 homeless children were cared for in the Army homes.

Many Foreign Workers.

(3.) The missionary work was operated principally in India, Africa, Java and Korea, nearly 5,000 officers being engaged in these fields. In connection with his statements relative to this, Commissioner Rees told of some of the thrilling experiences he had gone through during his own residence in Africa, where he spent several years as a missionary of the Salvation Army.

In the evening a salvation meeting was held in the Crystal theatre, which was once again packed to the doors. Commissioner Rees spoke on the text, "Quench Not the Spirit," at the close of the service nine men and women coming forward for conversion. The entire arrangements, both for the afternoon and evening meetings, were in the hands of Ensign and Mrs. MacDonald, who, with the local band and corps, rendering the commissioner a good service.

This morning the chief officer for the Dominion had a conference with the Premier in connection with emigration and colonization matters, and for formulating plans for the coming year. It is expected that a number of domestic servants will be brought to the province this year from England, Ireland and Scotland, and the commissioner and others closely in touch with the social conditions of the West have little doubt that a great number of openings will still remain for servants even after they have brought out their first big detachment.

Another of the subjects in which the commissioner is very much interested is the Booth Memorial College for business men in Toronto. The army officers in the Ontario capital undertook to raise $100,000 toward the erection of this institution recently, and in three days accomplished their purpose. Victoria has contributed $700 to the scheme through the energies of Ensign and Mrs. MacDonald, the local Salvationists and friends, and it is anticipated that something will be added to this ere long.

For next week the commissioner and other visiting officers will visit in Vancouver to look into the social conditions there and to further consider the problem of building a larger rescue home and a big men's institution.

MUSIC STUDENTS' RECITAL

Victoria's Talent Well-Represented at Concert Under Ladies' Musical Club.

The first pupils' recital of the present season to be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Musical Club took place last Saturday afternoon at the Alexandra Club, when the delightful programme given proved the confidence which patrons of these concerts placed some time ago in the talented young pupils who were heard here in previous years, and also brought forward a few new students whose ability assures concert-lovers of some further treats in the future.

Although a long programme of fourteen numbers was given, the carefully observed rule that no encores should be given permitted the performance to pass off in the usual time, and all present were both delighted and surprised at the amount of budding genius which was displayed in the range of selections offered. Commencing with a piano duet by Miss Margaret Priestly and Miss Joan Bloomfield, both pupils of Miss Tilly, the concert revealed in turn the talent of little Dorothy Dean, a pupil of Miss B. Smith, who played Lange's Flower Song beautifully despite the fact that she was too small even to touch the pedals; Miss Eva Neal, a pupil of Mrs. Bridges, who played two pianoforte numbers; Miss May Tolle, Miss Eva Hart's pupil, who sang very sweetly Arthur Somerval's "Shepherd's Cradle Song"; Miss Dorothy Nicol, Mrs. Garrett Smith's pupil, who played a march; Miss Irene Long's pupil, Miss Peggy Pearce, who played a McDowell and a Paderewski composition with marked skill; Mr. German's talented pupil, Boyce Combe, who sang a Breil and Gechi ballad; Miss Gladys Hewlings, Mr. Burnett's pupil, who played Liszt's "Murmuring Woods," Miss Pearl Sproul, Mrs. Russell Boulton's pupil, and the Misses Margaret Tilly and Joy Calvert, both violin students with Miss Ethel Lawson, Mrs. Gibson, accompanied in her usual faultless manner.

Patrons are already looking forward with keen interest to the second students' recital which is to take place early in May, when the teachers unrepresented at Saturday's concert will have an opportunity of sending their pupils before the public. Judging by the results of Saturday's performance Victoria possesses some excellent teachers of music, who are doing much in developing the artistic life of the city.

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The campaign for the collection of fifty thousand dollars for Carnival Week commenced this morning.

The offices formerly occupied by Mitchell Innes, beside the Canadian Bank of Commerce on Government street, have been secured by the Citizens' Committee, and in there will be erected the large clock dial on which will be indicated from time to time the rate at which the subscriptions are being received.

Some delay was caused this morning on account of the printers having the printing of certificates in hand delaying the delivery of the work. But at 2 o'clock this afternoon this work was finished and the clock in place.

The request is once more made that the public be careful to see that those asking for subscriptions supply the printed receipts and have identification cards signed by Alderman Cuthbert and Randolph Stuart.

Public halfpenny telephone call-boxes are about to be placed in the streets in many of the German towns. Berlin will have about forty and Leipzig fifty.

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Great Tenor Expects Much of Fight For Grand Opera in English.

"Leo Slezak, he of the heroic proportions, sang for the last time but one at the Metropolitan opera house last night," writes Charles Henry Meltzer in the New York American, of Jan. 27. The big Bohemian tenor was the principal figure at the opera concert. On Friday he bids farewell, for the present at least, and to New York's really deep regret, to our opera house.

"There is no ill-feeling between the Metropolitan management and myself," said Slezak, when I interviewed him in his dressingroom. "I want to get back to my son, who is now ripe for college and needs looking after. Perhaps I shall come back. But not in opera."

Mr. Slezak takes great interest in the movement here for opera in English. "This belated agitation will survive," said he, "until the sponsors of English opera realize their ambitions. There is much significance in the enthusiasm which has been awakened in the last few weeks.

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CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT

Revision of Assessment Roll 1913.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Township of Esquimalt have appointed Tuesday, the 25th day of February, 1913, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Assessor's Office, Lampson Street School Grounds, as the time and place for hearing complaints against the Assessment for the year 1913 as made by the Assessor, and for revising and correcting the Assessment Roll.

Any person complaining against the assessment must give notice in writing to the Assessor at least ten days before the first sitting of the Court of Revision.

Dated, at Esquimalt this 30th day of January, 1913.

THOMAS SHEPHERD, Town Clerk.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the firm of Hick & Fraser, carrying on business as Real Estate Agents at number 1503 Douglas street, in the City of Victoria, was dissolved on Wednesday, the 22nd day of January, 1913.

Dated this 24th day of January, A. D. 1913.

THOMAS J. W. HICK,

REORGANIZATION OF POLICE STAFF

SAANICH COUNCIL FACED WITH PROBLEM

Sanitary and Building Inspectorships May Be Divorced From Constabulary Duties

With the beginning of a new municipal year the municipal officials usually get in a sheaf of applications for increases of salary before the estimates are made up.

The Saanich council had a number of these before it on Saturday and sent them on to the finance committee for action. There was, however, some debate about the policing of the district.

The neighboring municipalities of Victoria during last year reorganized their police forces, and the case in the peninsula municipality. In the past Hugh Little has been engaged in a multitude of duties, including those of constable, poundkeeper, building and license inspector. He had done well and in fact a letter of commendation of his work, where he had recovered stolen property under difficulties, was read on Saturday from a grateful householder. The only help given him has been by special officers and poundkeepers for certain districts. He wrote to the council suggesting that the authorities should locate an officer, to be mounted, in ward two, to cover the Maywood and suburban portions of the district, where the bulk of the population exists.

On the other hand the health and morals committee, through the chairman, Councillor Williams, reported in favor of divorcing Little from his present duties and making him sanitary and building inspector.

Reeve Nicholson said it would be a mistake to remove the constable from police work after he had done excellent service, and he supported Little's own suggestion.

Councillor Williams then moved that a health inspector should be appointed and the council carried the resolution.

The reeve indicated that he had thirty days in which to return the subject for reconsideration. The council was making a mistake.

In spite of a counter proposal from Consulting Engineer Topp, that he should discharge the engineering duties of the municipality on a commission basis, with allowance for necessary staff, the council adopted the report of the works committee, which recommended that applications should be invited for the position of engineer.

In the report of the finance committee reference was made to Auditor Barlow's comments on the clerical work of the office, and it was decided that a monthly audit of the accounts should be made. The office of auditor will be filled at the next meeting, C. A. Forsyth having already put in an application for the position.

Clerk J. R. Carmichael was appointed assessor of the district. In connection with the roll, W. Jackson, the collector, will have complete charge this year.

SCHOOL GROWTH IN NORTHERN SUBURBS

Cost of Education Advances Nearly $6,000 to Cope With Development in Saanich

Good schools are always a clear proof of the development of a district, and the progress of the Saanich peninsula has been demonstrated in the advanced programme of building now in course of operation by the school board of the municipality.

The cost of maintenance of the schools will advance nearly $6,000 this year, the cost to the ratepayers being about $20,000. The total cost of education is about $36,000, the balance being met by the per capita grant for school purposes from the government, which is paid in part s laries of teachers. The bulk of this amount is required for new teachers in the schools shortly to be opened. The votes for the schools are as follows: Tolmie, six divisions, $5,060, Craigflower, four divisions, $2,940, Cedar hall and North Dairy, two divisions each, $1,680, South Saanich two divisions, $1,065, Cadboro Bay, Elk Lake, Gordon Head, McKenzie avenue, Prospect avenue, Royal Oak, West Saanich, Strawberry Vale, Keating and Saanichton, $840 each. The vote for manual training is $4,020, and the general expenses of the board are estimated at $12,185. The government grant is estimated at $14,448, and the actual net amount required from the ratepayers is thus $19,979.

These figures were presented to the Saanich municipal council on Saturday and explained by the board secretary, William Campbell. They were formally approved.

Mr. Campbell explained that the contract for the Tolmie school was let, and the school was to be completed by July 31. Two new rooms were being added at the new Craigflower school, the Cedar Hill school was nearly completed, and the schools at Gordon Head, Royal Oak, and Saanichton were under construction. At Keating the site is being cleared preparatory to operations being commenced. When the last two named schools are finished, the old school at South Saanich will be used for a manual training department.

She (complainingly)—You don't pay me compliments as you used to do. He—No; I've suspended payment.

INTER-MUNICIPAL COMMITTEE ENDORSED

Saanich Appoints Delegates to Body—No Laundry Permit in Garden City

The proposal to form an intermunicipal committee is being taken up with enthusiasm. Following the lead of the city and Oak Bay, the Saanich municipal council determined on Saturday to appoint such a committee, the representatives thereon being Reeve Nicholson, Councillors Borden, McGregor and Williams. These three councillors were appointed because their district adjoins the city.

In order to systematize the presentation of subdivision plans, Councillor Williams has prepared a memorandum, which will be placed in the hands of all the British Columbia Land Surveyors resident in the city. Among the subdivision plans presented was one of Brentwood, the residential extension at Todd Inlet. The manager of the British Columbia Electric Railway Company, Lighting & Power Department, [illegible] should adopt the city electric wiring by-law, and a copy will be sent to the solicitor to prepare a report upon it.

The council declined to grant a building permit to Yuen Wah for a laundry in Garden City, although Mackay and McDiarmid on his behalf undertook to have a septic tank placed in position to care for the sewerage. Councillor Dunn objected to the addition of septic tanks in the district.

Further regulations of cow byres operated by Hindus is promised as the result of complaints by a resident at Cadboro Bay regarding a place of this character in his vicinity. The chairman of the health committee, Councillor Williams, said that it was the intention to compel observance of the health regulations in this respect.

Another engine and rock crusher being needed, the Reeve will look into the question of securing them. A combination of these machines belonging to the government at Esquimalt was mentioned, and it was thought it would be possible to secure it since the transfer of authority, makes the government no longer require it.

The election accounts to the amount of $819.29 were ordered to be paid.

VANCOUVER ISLAND A TOURISTS' MECCA

Scenery of Strathcona Park Will Bring Influx Here—When Beauties Are Learned

"There is nothing in the world to prevent Victoria becoming the greatest tourist resort on the Pacific coast, if the business men and other people of the city only pull together," said Mr. J. E. Smart, of this city, to the Times at the Strathcona hotel yesterday afternoon.

"In the Strathcona park we have one of the greatest assets of Vancouver island," he continued. "I am familiar with the scenery of the Yellowstone and Yosemite parks, which are known all over the world for their grandeur; but for a combination of magnificence and delicacy of natural beauty, added to the sublimity which is characteristic of the landscape in the Rocky Mountains, Strathcona Park is easily the greatest on the continent; and," he added, "once the highways now in course of construction are finished there will be an influx of wealthy tourists from all parts of Canada and the United States that will be a revelation."

"With our climate in the summer time, which is so much cooler than that of Montana and California, where tourists flock in such large numbers, this island will be a tourists' Mecca. They go now to California in their hundreds of thousands, and many of them find their trips marred by the inconvenience of the heat and dust. There will be nothing like that to contend with on Vancouver island; and with the gentle warmth of midday and the delicious coolness of the evenings, in our climate, the most jaded traveller cannot fail to become an enthusiast on British Columbia. And all these tourists, in their automobiles, or without them, travelling by rail and steamer, will come to Victoria. Why," he exclaimed, "it will be of greater value to Victoria than even the Panama canal."

Mr. Smart is thoroughly familiar with the work which has been done, and has studied the tourist business for many years; therefore he may be regarded as one who speaks with authority.

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HON. W. S. FIELDING REPLIES TO UNIONISTS

The letter of Hon. W. S. Fielding to the London Times which appeared January 19, bears all the marks of logic, keen argument and closely applied reasoning so characteristic of the Canadian ex-minister of finance. Mr. Fielding says:

"Considering the very wide and always friendly interest manifested in colonial, and particularly Canadian, affairs for some years past, it is surprising that there should be so many grave misconceptions respecting the most important events in the Canadian Dominion. One of these misconceptions was the subject of an interesting letter in your issue of December 25 from Sir Thomas Berridge, published under the headlines 'Unionist Policy—the Canadian Argument.'

"Sir Thomas Berridge very properly takes exception to a statement recently made by a gentleman of much prominence in English public life.

"'It seems impossible (says Sir Thomas Berridge) in the hard straits to which they are driven, for Unionist speakers to avoid introducing controversial Canadian politics and placing before their British audiences an entirely erroneous view of the reasons which led a majority of the Canadian people to reject the reciprocity treaty with the United States. Here is F. E. Smith, in his Dudley speech, referring to 'the splendid bribe which the United States offered to Canada,' and stating that 'the Conservative party of Canada took their lives in their hands on behalf of England.'

"If" It Was For or Against.

"If—please observe the if—the last contest in Canada was on the question of being for or against England, there are some interesting facts which must furnish food for thought. Let me note briefly a few of them:

"In three of the four great divisions of Canada (1. Maritime provinces; 2. Quebec; 3. Ontario; 4. Western provinces) majorities of the people decided against England.

"In five of the nine provinces of Canada majorities of the people decided against England.

"In the county of Halifax, represented by the new prime minister, he was unable to carry a colleague with him in his struggle 'on behalf of England.' His fellow member for that old English county (including the city of Halifax) was elected against England.

"In the whole Dominion about 48½ per cent. of the men who voted decided against England.

"If this were the real state of the case, if very nearly one-half of a people hitherto noted for their loyalty to all things British had abandoned the faith of their fathers and proclaimed themselves enemies of Gerat Britain it seems to me that Englishmen should find in the Canadian elections cause for the deepest sorrow rather than for the exultation that is so frequently heard from certain quarters.

"Sir Thomas Berridge has done well in calling attention to the mischievous errors that are so widespread respecting public opinion in Canada. But it is unfortunate that at the very moment when he was removing a grave misconception and endeavoring to place matters correctly before the British public he was the unconscious instrument of publishing another idea equally erroneous and only a little less mischievous. Sir Thomas Berridge writes:

"'In addressing the Canadian Society of New York in December, 1911, when I was privileged to be present, Mr. Borden made it quite clear that the reason for the rejection of the reciprocity treaty was a determination on the part of the majority of the Canadian people to be perfectly free and unfettered in regard to their fiscal arrangements the subject of any treaty or agreement which would in any way interfere with their power to impose or remove tariffs in such manner as was best suited to the interests of Canada. I do not know that anything Mr. Borden has said, before or since, in any way recedes from this perfectly plain and intelligible position; a position as far removed as are the poles asunder from that stated by F. E. Smith.'

"It is quite clear that Sir Thomas Berridge is under the impression that what he calls the 'reciprocity treaty with the United States,' contained some provisions which interfered with the freedom of the Canadian people to impose or remove tariffs in such manner as was best suited to the interests of Canada. He will, I am sure, be surprised to learn that in this he is entirely wrong, and that the agreement in question did not contain anything of the kind in any shape or form.

Foreign Markets Generally Sought.

"Negotiations between Canada and other countries in relation to commercial affairs were not unusual. They were not confined to the questions with the United States. The desire of Canada to obtain admission for her products into foreign markets on favorable terms was general. In the more than 15 years during which I held the position of Canadian minister of finance, it became my duty to carry on, sometimes alone, sometimes in association with a colleague, negotiations respecting tariffs with numerous countries, and out of such negotiations came amicable arrangements, either by treaty or good understanding, not only with the United States, but also with France, Germany, Italy, Belgium and Japan. If the arrangement with the United States differed from the others in any way, it certainly did not in the direction which Sir Thomas Berridge supposes.

Left Full Fiscal Freedom.

"He refers twice to the 'reciprocity treaty' with the United States.' He may be surprised to learn that no treaty was made. Every treaty does necessarily bind a country for a specified time. In the case of the arrangement with France, it would have been quite correct to say that it tied the hands of Canada in tariff matters for a time, because that was a treaty made in solemn diplomatic form. But that treaty, which did bind Canada and the Empire, was approved by an overwhelming majority of the Canadian parliament, including the present prime minister. Thus, when there was a real binding of Canada's hands, little or no exception was taken to such a course. But in the case of the reciprocity question with the United States, not only was there no treaty, and no such binding as Sir Thomas Berridge has been led to suppose, but there was a very emphatic declaration to the contrary. The agreement took the form of an exchange of letters between the Canadian ministers and the United States secretary of state, and the letter written by the Canadians setting forth what had been agreed upon, distinctly stated that the agreement was to hold only as long as both parties found it satisfactory, and that both the parliament of Canada and the congress of the United States reserved complete freedom to arrange their tariffs from time to time as they deemed best.

"I hope it has been made clear that in the Canadian elections there was no question of anybody being for or against England, and that the reciprocity agreement contained not a line that interfered with Canada's fiscal freedom."

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He was a personal friend of Prince Bulow, who appointed him to Rome from Luxemburg, and the fact that he was a member of the famous Borussa Corps of students at Bonn at the same time as the Kaiser studied in the Rhenish University may have something to do with his rapid advance to Ministerial rank. Herr von Jagow is credited with much personal courtesy, contrasting in this respect with his rough-hewn predecessor in office.

The more interesting question regarding his views on foreign policy remains for the present unanswered. The Deutsche Tageszeitung publishes a dispatch from its Rome correspondent in which he declared that Herr von Jagow regards a complete understanding between Germany and England as the chief task of German foreign policy.

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FEBRUARY 10

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TO-DAY IN CANADIAN HISTORY

On February 10, 1763, was signed the Peace of Paris, by which the King of France, renounced "all pretensions which he had hitherto formed or might form" to Nova Scotia or Acadia, and ceded "in full right Canada with all its dependencies, as well as the Island of Cape Breton and all the other islands and coasts in the Gulf and River St. Lawrence." Spain received Louisiana from France, but ceded Florida to Great Britain, and all the territory in North America to the left of a line drawn down the middle of the Mississippi was acknowledged British except the town of New Orleans and the island upon which it was built. England was now mistress of the eastern part of North America, from Hudson Bay to the Gulf of Mexico, with one seemingly trifle exception. France retained the little islands of St. Pierre and Miquelon, near Newfoundland, as a shelter for her fishermen, to whom were renewed also the privileges of fishing and drying their fish along parts of the shores of Newfoundland. These latter provinces were destined to give much trouble in the future, while some far-sighted Frenchmen pleased themselves with the notion that England's colonies, relieved from fear of France, would soon seek independence.

BIRTHDAY CONGRATULATIONS

TO

February 9.

Boyer, Hon. Arthur (Montreal); born Montreal, 1851; Liberal M. P. P. for Jacques Cartier, 1884-1892; senator since 1909.

Cameron, Lt.-Col. Douglas William (Ottawa); born Toronto, 1862; assistant accountant of the House of Commons and past commander of the 43rd regiment.

Campbell, Peter McGregor, M. D. (Lethbridge, Alberta); born Admaston, Ont., 1872; surgeon in Canadian immigration service.

Charlton, Harry Ready (Montreal); born St. Johns, Que., 1866; advertising manager and chief publicity commissioner for the Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific railway companies.

Darveau, Charles, K. C. (Levis, Que.); born St. Ambroise, Lorette, 1847; politician and fraternalist.

Gunn, Peter, M. P. P. (Lac Ste. Anne, Alberta); born Thurso, Scotland, 1864; fur trader and rancher and for many years connected with the Hudson Bay Company; Liberal M. P. P. for Lac Ste. Anne.

Locke, Hon. Corbet, K. C. (Morden, Man.); born Barrie, Ont., 1854; county judge in Manitoba since 1894.

Mackay, John (Toronto); born Epsom, Eng., 1865; accountant and prominent Presbyterian.

Payzant, John Young, K. C., M. A. (Halifax, N. S.); born Falmouth, N. S., 1837; barrister and financier.

Verret, Major Hector B. (Ottawa); born Quebec, 1874; assistant deputy postmaster-general and active soldier.

February 10.

Anderson, John George, M. P. P. (Lucknow, Ont.); born, Dungannon, Ont., 1866; apple exporter; Liberal M. P. P. for South Essex.

Denoit, Jean Alphonse (Truro, N. S.); born, Descouse, N. S., 1875; professor at Truro Normal school.

Burden, George F. (Pokiok, N. B.); born, Queensberry, N. B., 1853; Liberal M. P. P. for York, 1903-1908.

Campbell, Roy Leggo (Victoria, B. C.); born, Toronto, 1890; forestry educationalist; now attached to the forestry branch of the British Columbia government.

Chapple, Hon. Thomas William, K. C. (Kenora, Ont.); born, Kilkenny, Ireland, 1853; Liberal M. P. P. for North Ontario, 1894-1898; judge for the Kenora district since 1898.

Davidson, Rev. John Cheyne, M. A. (Peterborough, Ont.); born, Newboro, Ont., 1864; rector of Peterborough since 1889; rural dean of Peterborough, militia chaplain and author.

DeVeber, Hon. Leverett George M. D. (Lethbridge, Alberta); born, St. John, N. B., 1849; member of Northwest Assembly, 1898-1905; member of first legislature of Alberta and a minister without portfolio; senator since 1906.

Falconer, Rev. Robert Alexander, M. A., B. D., D. Litt., D. D., LL. D., C. M. C. (Toronto); born, Charlottetown, P. E. I., 1867; principal of Pine Hill Presbyterian college, Halifax, 1904-1907; now president of the University of Toronto.

Garrioch, Rev. Alfred Campbell, D. D. (Portage la Prairie, Man.); born, Kildonan, Man., 1848; the first Protestant missionary in the Peace River country and Anglican rector for many years; now retired.

Gilroy, Rev. William Edgar, M. A., D. D. (Brantford, Ont.), born, Mount Forest, 1876; Congregational pastor and editor.

Harper, John Murdoch, Ph. D. (Quebec); born, Johnstone, Scotland, 1845; school teacher in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, principal of Provincial Normal school at Charlottetown, P. E. I., for many years; rector of Quebec High school, 1880-1886; inspector of Protestant schools, 1886-1903; author of many text books.

Murphy, Very Rev. William Joseph, M. A., D. D. (Ottawa); born, Cariboo, B. C., 1865; vice-rector of Ottawa university.

Sands, Harold Percy (Vancouver); born, Coxheath, Kent., Eng., 1873; journalist in Great Britain and Canada for many years.

Sperry, John Drew (Petite Riviere, Lunenburg, N. S.); born, 1851; Liberal M. P. for Lunenburg 1909-1911.

Whitmore, Frank, M. D. (Regina); born, St. Catharines, Ont., 1874; physician and prominent Conservative.

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FOUR MORE BILLS CONSIDERED TO-DAY

THREE TO BE REPORTED AND ONE HELD OVER

Chairman Miller and His Confreres Early at the Grindstone

As a result of a hard morning's work by the private bills committee, three bills will be reported to the House this afternoon. These are the Act to incorporate the Sisters of Instruction of the Infant Jesus; the Act to incorporate the Convent of the Religious of the Sacred Heart, and the Act to incorporate the City of Port Coquitlam. In addition to the above, passed a bill to extend the powers of the Colonial Trust Company, whose headquarters are in this city, was considered, but owing to the absence of the Trust Company's inspector in Vancouver the matter was left over until that gentleman should find it possible to attend.

Most interest centred in the Coquitlam bill, against the boundaries of which, as described in the bill, some opposition had been set. This was focussed in the proposal of lots 381 and 384a in Coquitlam municipality that those properties be included within the boundaries of the city of Port Coquitlam. Their proposals, however, were rejected at Friday's meeting of the committee. This being settled, and the boundaries clause being passed as presented, the passage of the bill will not be delayed.

A few amendments and alterations were affixed to both the bills incorporating religious orders, but no opposition was met with as to the real nature of the provisions, and they will be reported to the House this afternoon.

The vice-president of the Colonial Trust Company was in attendance to support the passage of the bill for the extension of powers. Some opposition seems likely to be encountered from other trust companies, such as the Dominion Trust, which hold that the colonial company is claiming greater privileges than were granted in their own incorporations. The vice-president of the last named company explained to the committee that such was not the case. He stated that the company had a nominal capital of $500,000, and a subscribed capital of $250,000. However, as Mr. Reynolds, inspector of trust companies, was in Vancouver attending to the affairs of the People's Trust Company, the matter was left over until his return.

DISCHARGED 14 LABORERS

Esquimalt Board of Works Sustains Sudden Action of Chairman.

When the Esquimalt council meets in Lampson Street school this evening several important matters that have come up during the week will have to be considered. On Wednesday Chairman Anderson, of the new public works committee of the whole, discharged all but six of the twenty laborers employed on road repairs in the municipality. This action was discussed at great length at the works committee meeting, Friday night and eventually the action was confirmed.

The action of Saanich in employing a resident engineer was cited by Councillor McAdam at this meeting as an illustration of the folly of employing an advisory engineer on commission as was done in Esquimalt. This had been done, he said, in imitation of Saanich, and already that municipality had gone back on the scheme. The whole matter of a town engineer may be reopened at the council any time following this latest development.

TROOPS RELEASE GENERAL DIAZ AND CAPTURE THE MEXICAN CAPITAL

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The attitude of the artillery stationed in the arsenal was one of much speculation on both sides. The artillery remained loyal. No use was made of the big guns inside the arsenal, and it soon became evident that the reinforcements which the government had sent to attack the rebels were not inclined to fight.

One after another these supposedly loyal forces signified their intention to surrender, their chiefs riding to Diaz under flags of truce, and extending their hands in congratulation. Before long almost all the mounted police whom the president had led against the rebels a few hours previously were in the rebel ranks. The artillery from Tacubayo clattered into the city, but not to oppose the mutinous troops. Instead they joined the movement and lined up with the rebels about the arsenal.

A truce was called and papers of surrender were formally signed. This victory gave to the rebels a majority of all the cannon in the city, and left to President Madero probably not more than 35 per cent. of the capital's fighting force.

In the meantime alarming rumors reached the city of mutiny led by striking miners in Pachuca, 55 miles to the northwest, and of heavy fighting south of Tlalpam, between a force of Zapatistas and government troops.

General Mondragon and a large force of artillery are believed to be occupying points of vantage surrounding the city, and have their guns trained in such a way as virtually to command the situation.

Lunch at the Kaiserhof from 12 to 2, including beer.

STRANGE ANIMAL FOUND IN VICTORIA

Ant-Eating Bear is Arrested—Has Properties of Cat and Monkey

It took two sergeants and a constable to arest "Jack," the most unusual prisoner ever held in the local police station. Although there is no charge against him he is constantly kept strapped to some immovable piece of furniture in the station for fear he may escape. A special diet of raw eggs and bread is ordered for his benefit. Jack's nationality is not known but he is believed to hail from South America.

In response to a call Sunday noon, Sergeants Clayards and Wright were driven to Mason street by Constable Walton in the motor patrol. Jack was hiding under the sidewalk. He was pulled out by Sergeant Wright after a strenuous tussel, but broke away. He attempted to scale a high fence but Constable Walton dived headlong after him and pulled him down. He was brought to police headquarters for purposes of identification, but nobody was familiar with him or his type. A special compartment in the garage was set apart for his use and he was tied by a rope to a post.

Jack has an exceedingly long, sharp, black nose; he is covered with long grey hair; his tail is longer than his body and is about four inches in diameter on account of the long bushy hair. He measures about four feet from tip to tip. His hind legs are longer than his forelegs. He climbs trees and posts and fences after the fashion of a monkey.

A man who appeared to know something about such creatures said he was known in South America as an ant-eating bear and was part monkey. His ears and paws are like a monkey's and he travels like a monkey, in an erect position sometimes. He is apparently of the feline type in many respects also. He had a leather collar with a piece of rope attached when found.

"He is a strong little beggar," said Constable Walton, who is his especial guardian. "If you pick him up off a chair or table he will lift the chair or table with him. When I caught him on the fence I grabbed him by the tail and pulled with my whole weight but couldn't budge him."

He is evidently a pet, and the owner will find him at the police station.

CAPT. SCOTT AND SOUTH POLE EXPLORERS PERISH IN BLIZZARD

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community, which has been unequalled since the death of King Edward.

It is believed here that the disaster did not involve all of the Scott party of 68, but probably only Scott himself and the four others selected by him for the final dash to the pole. These are supposed to be Dr. E. A. Wilson, chief of the scientific staff; Capt. L. E. G. Oates, of the Inniskillen Dragoons; Lieut. H. Bowers, of the Royal Indian Marine and commissariat office, and Petty Officer E. E. Evans, of the British Royal Navy.

The expedition under Capt. Scott was the best equipped that had ever been gathered together for such an adventure. It sailed from Port Chalmers, near Christchurch, N. Z., on November 29, 1910. The steamship Terra Nova made directly south into Ross Sea. Early in January, 1911, she forced her way into McMurdo Sound, where winter quarters were established on Cape Evans.

The members of the expedition had a very arduous task in putting their stores on shore, and the work took a week. However, they were able to make themselves very comfortable there in houses which they had carried with them in "knock-down" form. They at once began their scientific observations.

Provisions for a three-years' stay in the ice regions had been taken on the Terra Nova, and these had been placed on shore. Capt. Scott had with him 20 Siberian ponies, 30 dogs and 2 motor sleds. The ponies, dogs and motor sleds were to be used alternately for transport across the 1,500 miles between the landing place and the Pole. It was arranged to cover ten miles daily, and it is apparent that this scheme was carried out up to the moment they reached the Pole.

AMUNDSEN, PEARY AND CHESTER PAY TRIBUTE TO THE DEAD EXPLORER

Washington, D. C., Feb. 10.—Rear-Admiral Robert E. Peary, the first man to attain the North Pole, said when he received the news to-day of the death of Capt. Scott and his companions: "The news comes to me as a terrible shock. Mrs. Scott and the wives and relatives of the brave men who perished with Capt. Scott, and the whole British nation, have my deepest, sincerest and most heartfelt sympathy and condolence."

Rear-Admiral Chester, retired, a conspicuous figure in polar exploration, officials of the National Geographical Society, and the entire colony of scientists here, who had been watching the race for the South Pole, were shocked by the news of the catastrophe.

Capt. Amundsen, who led the race to the Pole against Capt. Scott, paid a glowing tribute to Scott in the course of an address he recently made here before the National Geographical Society on receiving the society's gold medal commemorating his achievement. It was Amundsen's belief that Scott had achieved the South Pole, and then had been delayed on his return for the purpose of gathering scientific data.

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MOVEMENT MADE FOR REVISION OF TARIFF

London, Feb. 10.—A movement has been initiated by several members of the House of Commons to have a revision of the existing tariff made.

A deputation waited on Chancellor Lloyd George yesterday to ask that either a reduction or total abolition of the present sugar and tea duties be introduced in the forthcoming budget. The deputation pointed out that these duties affected the poorer classes in England mostly.

Lloyd George, however, replied that it would be impossible for the government to comply with the request of the deputation.

Gibraltar is the smallest British possession, and measures less than two square miles. Canada is the largest, with 3,746,000 square miles.

Financial News

STOCK MOVEMENTS UNCERTAIN TO-DAY

Money in Better Supply and Discount Rates Steady With Continental Support

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, Feb. 10.—Movements of stocks were uncertain during the day with narrow fluctuations.

American Can quickly rose on the announcement of the ratification of the new financing, but the market otherwise was firm but exceedingly quiet. Rumors regarding the methods to be adopted in bringing about the dissolution of the Harriman lines caused selling of Southern Pacific and the stock yielded.

Abroad money was in better supply and discount rates were steady to-day. The continent supported its favorites in the London market, and English dealers realized in Marconi and copper shares.

	High	Low	Bid
Amalgamated Copper	72¼	72¼	72¼
Am. Beet Sugar	..	..	37
Am. Can	42	39¾	41½
Am. Car. & Fdy.	54¼	53¾	53
Am. Cotton Oil	51¼	50¾	50½
Am. Locomotive	..	..	38½
Am. Smelting	73¼	72¾	72¾
Am. Sugar	..	..	116
Am. Tel. & Tel.	132¾	132¼	132¼
Am. Tobacco, pfd.	..	..	281
Am. Woolen, pfd.	..	..	78½
Anaconda	37¾	37¼	37¼
Atchison	103¾	103¾	103¾
Do., pfd.	..	..	101¼
B. & O.	102	102	101¾
B. T. R.	..	..	89¾
C. P. R.	239¾	237¼	237¼
Central Leather	29	28¾	28¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	..	..	77¼
C. & G. W.	..	..	16¼
Do., pfd.	..	..	41¾
C. M. & St. P.	111¼	110¾	110¾
Do., pfd.	..	..	137
Colorado Fuel & Iron	39¾	38¼	37¾
Consolidated Gas	..	..	137
D. & R. G.	..	..	20¾
Do., pfd.	..	..	37
Distillers Sec.	..	..	37
Erie	31	30¾	30¾
Do., 1st pfd.	48	47¾	48
Do., 2nd pfd.	..	..	38
Goldfield Cons.	3½	3½	3½
Great Northern, pfd.	129¾	129	129
Great Northern Oregon ctfs.			38
Illinois Central	125	124¼	124
Inter-Metropolitan	18¾	18½	18¾
Do., pfd.	63	62¾	62½
International Harvester	..	..	111½
Kansas City Southern	..	..	25
L. & N.	..	..	137
Lehigh Valley	161½	160¾	160¾
California Petroleum	55¾	55¼	55¼
Mexican Petroleum	74	73½	73½
M. S. P. & S. S. M.	..	..	135
Missouri Pacific	..	..	41
Nat. Biscuit	..	..	118¼
Nat. Lead	..	..	52
Nevada Cons.	17¼	17¼	17¼
New York Central	..	..	107¾
N. Y. O. & W.	32½	31¾	31¾
Norfolk & West.	108¼	108¼	108¼
Northern Pacific	119½	118¾	118¾
Pacific Mail	..	..	29½
Pennsylvania	120¼	119¾	119¾
People's Gas	115	113	113¼
Pressed Steel Car	..	..	32¾
Railway Steel Spg.	..	..	31½
Reading	165¼	163¾	163¾
Rock Island	23½	23¼	23¼
Do., pfd	42¾	42¼	41¾
Southern Pacific	103¾	103	103¼
Southern Railway	27¼	27¼	27¼
Do. pfd.	..	..	80¾
Texas Pacific	..	..	20½
Twin City			105¼
Union Pacific	161¼	159¾	159¾
Do., pfd.	89¾	89¾	89¼
U. S. Rubber	68	67	67¼
U. S. Steel	64¾	64¼	64¼
Do., pfd	108¾	108¾	108¾
Utah Copper	54	53¾	53¾
Va. Car Chemical	..	..	35¼
Wabash	..	..	3¾
Do., pfd.	..	..	12¾
Western Union	72¾	72¼	72
Westinghouse	72¾	72¾	72¾
Wisconsin Central	..	..	51
Granby	68½	68	68
Money on call	4	3	3½

Total sales, 187,700 shares.

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NEW YORK MONEY.

New York, Feb. 10.—Money on call firmer, 3@4 per cent.; ruling rate, 3 per cent.; closing bid, 3½ per cent.; offered at 4 per cent. Time loans stronger; 60 days 4@4¼ per cent.; 90 days, 4¼@4½ per cent.; 6 months, 4¼@4½ per cent. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange weak with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.83.25 for 60 days and at $4.87.50 for demand. Commercial bills, $4.82.75. Bar silver, 61½c. Mexican dollars, 48½c. Bonds: Governments and railroads easy.

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NEW YORK SUGAR.

New York, Feb. 10.—Raw sugar steady; Muscovado, 89 test, $2.98; centrifugal, 96 test, $3.48; molasses sugar, 89 test, $2.73; refined sugar, steady.

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FINANCIAL NOTES.

New York, Feb. 10.—People's Gas Company, net earnings, 7.54, as compared with 8.92 last year.

Visible wheat, increase, 77,000; corn, increase, 2,615,000 bushels; oats, increase, 1,223,000 bushels.

Chicago cash wheat unchanged, with May corn ¼ lower; oats ¼ lower.

Winnipeg flax, 120.

St. Louis cash wheat unchanged; corn shade firmer on white, others ¼ lower.

Boston, Feb. 10.—Pearl Lake Mining Company has struck a big vein.

Liverpool, Feb. 10.—Close: Wheat, ¼ to ½ lower; corn, 1d. higher.

Buenos Ayres wheat closed ¼ higher.

London silver, 28 7-16.

Minneapolis, Feb. 10.—Stronger tone to cash market. No improvement reported in flour trade, but shipping directions fair.

New York silver, 61¼.

Berlin, Feb. 10.—Wheat, close, ½ higher; Budapest, ½ lower; Antwerp, unchanged to ⅛ higher.

New York, Feb. 10.—Ex-dividend to-day: Western Union 1 per cent.; Mex. Petrol, 1 per cent.; Mexican, 1st preferred, 2 per cent.

New York, Feb. 10.—Wheat opening unchanged; corn unchanged to ⅛ higher.; 1.30 p.m., wheat ¼ to ½ higher; corn, ¼ lower to ¼ higher; cotton due 1 lower.

Liverpool cotton, opening: Futures 2 to 3½ up; spots, 3 up. 2 p.m., futures, 2½ to 4 up; spots, 3 up; American sales, 7,400.

London copper—Opening strong; futures, £68 up 1s. 7d.; futures, £68 up 1s. 5d.

Wheat on passage increased 4,934,000 bushels; corn, decrease, 7,210,000 bushels; Paris wheat easy, ¼ to ½ lower.

London copper—Close: £67 12s. 6d. off 7s. 3d.; sales, 400 tons. Futures, £67 12s. 6d. off 7s. 6d.; sales, 1,900 tons.

INTERNATIONAL COAL HOLDING STRENGTH

Coronation is Leader of Balance of Listed Stocks on Victoria Exchange

Victoria, Feb. 10.—International Coal held its strength, also Coronation Gold, [illegible] ing, both being in demand, the latter more especially. There was not much doing in other issues apart from some inquiry for Glacier Creek shares. Since the declaration of the International Coal dividend interest in this issue is assuming more of the old-time character, and lack of selling orders is rendering a firmness to the bids.

Boston-Granby output for January was reported at 1,792,245 pounds of blister copper.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Development	..	.01
Can. North-West Oil	.03	..
Can. Pac. Oil of B. C.	..	.12
Alberta Coal & Coke	..	.02
Crow's Nest Coal	..	72.00
International C. & C.	.38	.40
McGillivray Coal	.15	.20
Royal Collieries	..	.03
B. C. Packers, com.	154.00	160.00
Balfour Patents	..	5.00
C. N. P. Fisheries	..	2.00
Can. Pgt. S. Lbr. Co.	..	4.00
Capital Furniture Co.	..	4.25
S. S. Island Creamery	7.00	..
Victoria-Phoenix Brewery	110.00	..
B. C. Permanent Loan	125.00	..
Dominion Trust Co.	120.00	..
G. W. Permanent (a)	121.00	..
Can. Consd. S. & R.	4.00	5.25
Granby	68.00	70.00
Coronation Gold	.75	.95
Lucky Jim Zinc	.08	.12
Nugget Gold	.30	..
Rambler Cariboo	.82	.89
Standard Lead	1.35	1.55
Glacier Creek	.03	..
Portland Canal	.02	.03½
Red Cliff	..	.10
Snowstorm	.36	.41
Slocan Star	..	.50
American Marconi	5.00	6.00

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LOWER CABLES ARE LIGHT TRADE CAUSE

Exporters Buying Freely for Immediate Shipment by All-Rail Route

Winnipeg, Feb. 10.—Lower cables and light trading held the Winnipeg market steady after the opening, which was ¼ to ½ lower. There is a good cash demand with offerings fair. Exporters are buying freely for future delivery and for immediate shipment by the all-rail route. July flax was a little firmer and oats steady. Corn and lard are rapidly going skywards. Receipts for the last two days were 582 cars inspected and 500 in sight.

Cables closed: Liverpool, ¼ to 2 lower; Paris, ¼ lower; Berlin, ½ up; Budapest, ½ lower; Antwerp, unchanged.

Winnipeg market:

	Open.	Close.
Wheat—		
May	88¼	88¾
July	89¾	89¼
Oats—		
May	36¼	36¾
July	37¼	37¼
Flax—		
May	119¾	119¾
July	121	121¼

Winnipeg cash prices: Wheat—No. 1 Northern, 84; No. 2 Northern, 81¼; No. 3 Northern, 78¼; No. 4 Northern, 73¼; No. 5 Northern, 68¼; No. 6 Northern, 62¼; feed, 27¼.

Winter wheat—No. 1, 85¼; No. 2, 82¼; No. 3, 79¼; No. 4, 74¼.

Oats—No. 2 C. W., 32¼; No. 3 C. W., 30; extra No. 1 feed, 31¼; No. 1 feed, 30¼; No. 2 feed, 27¼.

Barley—No. 3, 47¼; No. 4, 45¼; rejected, 40¼; feed, 39¼.

Flax—No. 1 N. W. C., 115¼.

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LONDON STOCK QUOTATIONS.

London, Feb. 10.—Following are current quotations for leading Canadian government and municipal stocks: Dominion of Canada, loan, 1938, three per cent., 86 to 88. Province of Quebec, sterling bonds, 1934, four per cent., 98 to 100. British Columbia registered stocks, 1941, three per cent., 81 to 83. Dominion of Canada, 1900-1934, three and a half per cent., 96 to 97. Dominion of Canada, registered, 1933, three per cent., 86 to 88. Dominion of Canada, registered, 1930, 94 to 96. Province of Saskatchewan, registered, 1951, 96 to 98. Montreal city, permanent, 1933, three and a half per cent., 78 to 79. Montreal, permanent, 1932, four per cent., 95 to 97. City of Toronto, 1921-1928, four per cent., 94 to 96. Toronto local improvement bonds, 1912, 94 to 96. Toronto, 1929, three and a half per cent., 87 to 89. Vancouver city, 1931, four per cent., 93 to 95. Victoria, B. C., sterling bonds, 91 to 93. Winnipeg city, 1913-1936, four per cent., 94.

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C. P. R. STOCK IN GERMANY.

Hamburg, Germany, Feb. 10.—Five million dollars' worth of Canadian Pacific Railway Company shares have been introduced on the local bourse. This will facilitate transactions in this stock which is a favorite with the German investing public.

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CHICAGO CATTLE MARKET.

Chicago, Feb. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 20,000; market steady; beeves, $6.50@8.90; Texas steers, $4.90@6.75; Western steers, $5.60@7.30; stockers and feeders, $4.75@7.60; cows and heifers, $3.00@7.40; calves, $6.50@10.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 5,000; market easy; light, $7.90@8.12½; mixed, $7.75@8.10; heavy, $7.85@8.10; rough, $7.65@7.85; pigs, $6.00@7.80; bulk of sales, $8.00@8.05.

Sheep—Receipts, 28,000; market weak; native, $4.85@6.10; Western, $5.00@6.15; yearlings, $6.40@7.80. Lambs—Native, $6.90@8.90; Western, $6.90@8.90.

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U. S. STEEL COMPANY REPORT.

Unfilled tonnage, decrease, 104,596 tons; unfilled tonnage, total, 7,827,368, on January 31, against 7,932,164 on December 31.

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Victoria Carnival Week, August 4th to 9th, 1913.

LIMITED ACTION IN CHICAGO GRAIN PIT

Localized Trading Only and Last Quotations Slightly Off This Morning

Chicago, Feb. 10.—Action in the grain markets was limited with each depression well supported by the long and short interest. Trading was of a localized character, and much was lacking in the way of news. Last quotations were steady to slightly off.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	94¼	94¼	93¾	94
July	91¾	92	91¾	91¾
September	90¾	90¾	90¼	90¾
Corn—				
May	54¼	54¼	53¾	53¾
July	54¾	54¾	54¼	54¼
September	55¾	55¾	55¼	55¼
Oats—				
May	35¼	35¾	35¼	35½
July	35¾	35¾	35¼	35¼
September	35¼	35¼	35¼	35¼
Pork—				
May	19.70	19.95	19.65	19.92
July	19.75	19.90	19.65	19.90
Lard—				
May	10.52	10.70	10.52	10.92
July	10.55	10.62	10.55	10.90
Short Ribs—				
May	10.50	10.62	10.50	10.70
July	10.47	10.62	10.47	10.67

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TORONTO STOCKS.

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

	Bid.	Asked.
B. C. Packers, "B"	..	160
Do., com.	..	154
Bell Telephone	155¼	..
Burt, F. N., com.	..	101
Do., pfd.	..	105
Can. Bread, com.	31	32
Canada Cement, com.	28	..
Do., pfd.	..	93¼
Can. Gen. Electric	..	114½
Canada Mach., com.	61	62
Can. Locomotive, com.	69	..
Do., pfd.	..	96
Canadian Salt	120	..
City Dairy, com.	..	52½
Do., pfd.	..	100
Consumers Gas	187¼	..
Crow's Nest	..	80
Detroit United	80¼	80¾
Dominion Canners	79	79¾
Do., pfd.	101¼	..
D. I. & Steel, pfd.	..	102½
Dom. Steel, Corp.	56¼	..
Dom. Telegraph	100	..
Duluth Superior	71	..
Elec. Dev., pfd.	85	..
Illinois, pfd.	91½	..
Lake of Woods	141	..
Lake Superior Corporation	39	..
Maple Leaf, com.	..	62½
Do., pfd.	98	99
Mexican L. & P.	82	83
Mexico Tramway	108	110
Monterey, pfd.	..	73½
Monarch, com.	..	87
Do., pfd.	..	95
N. S. Steel, com.	..	88
Ogilvie, com.	124	..
Pac. Burt, com.	40	..
Do., pfd.	90	..
Penman's, com.	57	57½
Do., pfd.	..	87
Porto Rico Ry.	..	72
R. & O. Navigation	..	119
Rogers, com.	..	173
Do., pfd.	..	115
Russell M. C., com.	..	92
Do., pfd.	..	99
Sawyer Mas.	..	50
St. L. & C. Navigation	110	111
Shredded Wheat, com.	81	..
Do., pfd.	93¼	..
Spanish River, com.	71	71½
Steel of Canada, com.	25¼	26
Tooke Bros., com.	55	59
Do., pfd.	92	..
Toronto Paper	..	88
Toronto Railway	..	142½
Winnipeg Railway	212	214
Brazil	99¼	99¾
Mines.		
Coniagas	8.00	..
Crown Reserve	3.45	..
La Rose	.63½	.63½
Nipissing Mines	.08½	.09
Trethewey	.43	.45
Bailey	.10	.10½
Banks.		
Commerce	221½	222½
Hamilton	210	211
Imperial	220	222½
Merchants	198	..
Metropolitan	..	200
Molsons	203	..
Nova Scotia	..	265
Ottawa	210	..
Royal	..	227½
Standard	..	225
Toronto	211	..
Union	152	..

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NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

New York, Feb. 10.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	11.76	11.76	11.72	11.79-80
February	....	....	....	12.60-62
March	12.60	12.60	12.48	12.55-60
May	12.45	12.45	12.33	12.44-45
June	12.29	12.29	12.26	12.28-30
July	12.40	12.40	12.30	12.37-38
August	12.23	12.23	12.16	12.23-25
September	11.82	11.82	11.71	11.85-8
October	11.80	11.80	11.70	11.79-8
December	11.80	11.81	11.70	11.79-80

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FOR SALE—Grocery store, good business. Forced to sell on account of ill-health. Any reasonable offer accepted. Box 751, Times. f14

FOR SALE—Good paying butcher business in good locality. Compelled to sell on account of sickness. Apply 631, Times office. f10

PARKSVILLE, VANCOUVER ISLAND—Hotel for sale, fine bathing beach within four hundred yards; splendid buy. For full particulars apply Hayne & Wilkinson, Parksville, B. C. f21

WANTED—A partner in going concern in city. A1 proposition. $2,000 cash required. Office man or machinist. Give address for personal interview first letter. Money secured. Box 4003, Times. f16tf

FOR SALE—LIVESTOCK.

FOR SALE—Pedigree Airedale bitch (age 8 months). Apply McLachlan, 635 Fort street. f10

FOR SALE—Heavy draught colt, 3 years old. F. H. Lindsay, Royal Oak P. O. f11

MR. F. H. STEPHENSON, of Stephenson & Derry, has just returned from Saskatchewan, where he has purchased five cars of heavy horses weighing from 1400 to 2000 lbs. each. Will have them delivered here between January 20 and April 1. Address, Cor. Cook and Pembroke Sts. Phone R2675. Stephenson & Derry. f17

FOR SALE—POULTRY AND EGGS.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—A few settings from my pen of Crystal White Orpingtons, $3 for 15; also settings of 15 from my pen of Utility Barred Rocks, $2. Both pens are headed by prize-winning cocks. A. E. Moore, 60 Duplin Rd., Maywood P. O.

FOR SALE—Black Orpington cockerels, prize birds. 1911 Belmont Ave. f14

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

A JAPANESE WOMAN, who can work hard, wants situation in good family. Apply to 857 Pandora St. f11

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

MIDDLE-AGED MAN (married) wishes position as bookkeeper or salesman. Ten years in last position, from which have A1 recommendation. Eight years' experience in stove and hardware business. First-class local references. Box 733, Times. f10

YOUNG IRISHMAN seeks employment on a gentleman's farm, Vancouver Island. Good teamster, hard worker. Jack Firth, Maywood, Victoria. f12

FOR RENT—HOUSES.

TO RENT—12 room house, large double lot, corner Fisguard and Camosun Sts.; $75 per month. Enquire 820 Fort St. f5tf

FOR LEASE—9-roomed house on car line, furnished, James Bay. A. S. Barton, 215 Central Building. Phone 2901. f6tf

TO RENT—$22 per month puts you into a good six-roomed house within 6 or 8 minutes of the centre of the city, but you will have to buy the furniture, and at that you are getting a snap. $409 buys the furniture and you can rent the upper flat for more than enough to pay the rent. May & Tisseman, 730 Fort. f10

TO LET—9-room house, corner Montreal and Ontario. Apply Globe Realty Co. f10

TO RENT—The best flat in Victoria. Centrally located, two bedrooms, sitting-room, bathroom and kitchen. Completely furnished; $30 per month. The German-Canadian Trust Co., Ltd., 639 Fort street. f10

TO RENT—Small house on Shelbourne St., $10 per month. Colin Powell, 230 Pemberton Blk. f11

TO RENT—Comfortable house tent with kitchen attached. Apply 1363 Seaview ave. f11

PARTLY FURNISHED SUITES to rent, including heat and hot and cold water and janitor service, from $30 up. Apply Mount Douglas Apts. Oak Bay Junction. Phone 2255. f11

TO RENT—8 roomed, furnished house, dining room, sitting room, hall, kitchen, 4 bedrooms, bath, pantry, etc., full sized basement, two roomed shack with stove, tennis court and nice grounds, on car line. For particulars apply G. C. Pemberton, P. R. Blaikie, 601 Sayward Block, Phone 1711. j7 tf

FOR SALE—ARTICLES.

NEW FURNITURE—Bedsteads, springs and mattresses are sold cheaper at Butler's, Esquimalt Road, near Head Street, than at any other house in Victoria.

FOR SALE—Malleable and steel ranges, $1 down, $1 per week. 2001 Government street.

FURNITURE for three rooms for $75, all new. The reason we sell so cheap is because we are just out of the high rental district. Note the address, The Standard Furniture Co., 731 Pandora Ave., just above Douglas. d17 tf

FOR SALE—Lady's new long seal coat, reasonable. For particulars write B. Fair, Hotel Nelson, Seattle, Wash. f14

SANTO VACUUM CLEANER—Good as new, used a year. Regular price $145, for $85. W. G. Agnew, 1106 Douglas. f10

LARGE HOUSE TENT for sale, all complete, worth $200, quick sale $100, on terms. E. W. Hardie, 420 Hibben-Bone Bldg. Phone 288. f11

7-HORSEPOWER motorcycle for sale; Harley Davidson 1912 model. Must sell at once. Condition like new; big sacrifice. Apply Box 766, Times. f11

FOR SALE—Jubilee incubator, new; in perfect condition, cost $30; can be bought for $20. 74 Eberts St., Ross Bay. f14

LANTERN SLIDES—I have about twelve hundred of them, genuine photographs, many finely colored; cost 50c. to $2.50 each. Will sell en bloc for 15c. each, and include free a $60 holding cabinet. W. M. Ritchie, 730 Yates St., City. f13

FOR SALE—Furnished tent, 14x18, cheap. Apply Mrs. Ross, Old Esquimalt road. f9

GENTLEMEN'S SUITS, coats, vests, rain-overcoats, slightly used, cheap, for sale. 609 Yates, upstairs. Phone 4810. f28

FOR SALE—A 1912 Cadallac car, 5-passenger, nearly new, a bargain. Terms or cash. Box 694, Times. f12

FOR SALE—Raspberry canes, 20c. per dozen; logans, $1.50 per dozen; special rate per hundred and thousand. F. T. Tapscott, 1 block east of Burnside car terminus. Phone F1933. Maywood P.O. f4tf

CONCERTINA (English) thoroughly taught by expert player. Instruments supplied. Black, 849 Fort street. m2

FOR SALE—303 Ross sporting rifle, $15; 38 Colt revolver, $8; marine glasses, $2.75; 22 automatic rifle, $20; 10-power prism glasses, $17.50; 17-jewel Walthams, 20-year gold filled cases, complete, $14.75, movement warranted ten years; double wool blankets, $2.50 a pair; gents' 20-year gold filled chains, $6. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 572 Johnson street, 6 doors below Government, Victoria, B. C. Phone 1747.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—Young woman to take two children out afternoons. Apply 29 Dallas Ave. Phone 848. f11

WANTED—Mother's help. 1816 Blanchard. f9

WANTED—At once, a house parlormaid. Apply The Hon. Mrs. Burke Roche, 834 Pemberton road. f12

WANTED—Young girl for light housework; other help kept. 1402 Stadacona avenue. f6tf

FURNISHED ROOMS.

NICELY furnished rooms for light housekeeping; two blocks from P. O., 734 Humboldt f12

TWO FRONT BEDROOMS and sitting room (breakfast) for party of friends, in private English home; could be arranged for light housekeeping; near park. Phone R1212. f13

FRONT BEDROOM to let. 724 Herald St. f13

TO LET—Bedrooms and housekeeping rooms, 506 St. John St., cor. Kingston. f13

LARGE furnished rooms up-to-date. 1425 Fort St. f13

FURNISHED BEDROOMS to rent. 1425 Fort St. Phone 2552. f13

TO LET—A comfortable room, suitable for one or two friends. 1108 Pandora. Phone 2049. f12

THE COLUMBIA—First-class furnished, steam heat and running water; rates $4 per week and up. Corner of Broad and Pandora.

HOTEL DELHI—Most centrally located, newly furnished rooms, Cafe and cafeteria in connection. 615 Yates St. f12

HOLLIES, 526 Michigan street. Heated bed-sitting rooms. Phone L3904. f25

NEW HOTEL BRUNSWICK—Best location, no bar, strictly first-class, special winter rates, two entrances. Corner Douglas and Yates. Phone 317.

ARLINGTON ROOMS, 819 Fort St., steam heated, hot and cold running water, clothes closets in every room; moderate rates. Phone 2842.

JAMES BAY HOTEL, South Government street. Family hotel, splendid location, facing Beacon Hill Park, 4 blocks from Post Office and boat landings, 100 rooms, modern throughout, singly or en suite. Special weekly and monthly rates. Excellent cuisine. Phone 2304.

ROOMS AND BOARD.

ROOM AND BOARD—1914 Maple ave., near hospital. f14

ROOM AND BOARD—$6.50. 1012 Richardson St. f13

GOOD BOARD and front room; suit 2 friends. 725 Vancouver St. f13

GOOD ROOM AND BOARD for one or two respectable men, terms moderate. 919 Hillside avenue. Phone L5018. f22

ROOM AND BOARD, all conveniences. 813 Cook street. f23

GOOD ROOM AND BOARD for one or two respectable men, terms moderate. 919 Hillside avenue. f22

GOOD ROOM and board, 430 Dallas road. Phone R4063. f11

BON ACCORD, 845 Princess avenue. First-class room and board. Phone 2857. f9

HELP WANTED—MALE.

GENTLEMEN'S CAST-OFF CLOTHING bought. 609 Yates. f24

GENTLEMAN SALESMAN, by rapidly developing company; also others in settled positions desiring to increase their incomes. Write Box 237, Times. f20

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT wants 18 railway mail clerks; $90 month. Write for vacancy list. Franklin Institute, Dept. 628A, Rochester, N. Y. f14

WANTED—Junior clerk for office work. Apply Box 729, Times. f15

WANTED—At once, good baker for bread and cakes. Standard Bakery, Oswego street. f9

MISCELLANEOUS.

TO THOSE ABOUT TO BUILD—I prepare plans and specifications. Apply P. O. Box 1072. f21

LOTS CLEARED by contract or day labor, basements excavated; all orders promptly executed. P. O. Box 72, Thoburn.

SHINGLING DONE. Phone L2998. f11

READY MONEY LOANED to buy or build houses; 524 Sayward Building.

SKATES GROUND by electric machinery, 15c. pair. Dandridge, machinists, Oak Bay avenue. f11

AUTOS FOR HIRE—Day or night. Balmoral Hotel. Day phone 4473; night, 136. m1

STENOGRAPHER — First-class stenography work done on short notice. Westholme Hotel. f15

A NEW wholesale candy manufacturing business for Victoria. Wiper & Co.'s celebrated "K" Confectionery, 14 gold and silver medals awarded. Specialty "K" Butter Tablets—they're just lovely. Ask your dealers for them. f10

DO YOU WANT a house built? Estimates given by McMahon & Stewart. Phone L3833, or mail Lakehill P. O. f12

MEN'S OWN BIBLE CLASS—Meets at 2.30 p.m., corner Blanchard and Pandora Sts. All newcomers welcome. f10

DON'T THROW your old safety razor blades away. Have them sharpened good as new for 30c. per doz.; ordinary razors, 20c. and up. Also hollow grinding, scissors, clippers and surgical instruments sharpened. Work guaranteed. Leave orders at Terry's Drug Store, Manitoba Cigar Stand, and Imperial Cigar Store, at 1421 Government. f14

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AGREEMENT for sale, $2,750. F. Clark, 2632 Fernwood rd. f10

CARPENTER will give prompt attention and quick execution to jobbing, shack building or any kind of work. Apply Box 642, Times. Phone L4133. f10

TREES CLEANED and pruned by expert. G. Marino, P. O. Box 1438. f28

FOR RENT—Room for basement barber shop in the Hibben-Bone building. Apply The Griffiths Co., agents, rooms 101-106 Hibben-Bone Bldg., 1122 Government St. f11

THE ANNUAL MEETING of shareholders in Silver Band Mining Co., Ltd., will be held at 1202 Wharf street, Victoria, on Wednesday, 12th February, 1913, at 8 p. m. f12

FOR GOOD RESULTS list your property with G. S. Leighton, 1112 Government street. Phones: Office, 1500; Res., 2533.

NOTICE TO OWNERS—Rooms papered $5 and up, material included. H. M. Harris, 812 Caledonia. Phone 2426.

LADIES—Before selecting your new suit call and see our stock. Homespun Depot, 31 Finch Block, 715 Yates. f15

ANY SIZE FILM carefully developed, 15c, prints 50c. doz.; post cards 75c. doz. Prompt work on mail order. Brown, 1123½ Quadra St. f17

SHACKS and cottages built. Phone L4183. f28

LEAKY ROOFS repaired and guaranteed. Tel. L4611.

FULL DRESS AND TUXEDO SUITS bought. Morris, the tailor, 609 Yates St. Will call. Phone 4810. f11

FOR FINE commercial work, see Brown, 1123½ Quadra St. f17

FOR ALTERATIONS, jobbing work, repairs, etc., apply to J. W. Bolden, carpenter, 1616 Cook street, or Phone 1308.

ROOMS TO LET.

FURNISHED and unfurnished rooms to let. 215 Robertson St., Foul Bay. f13

WANTED—PROPERTY.

WANTED—Lot on Burnside, between Tillicum and Harriett, or near. Waddington, 202 Jones Blk. Phone 1874. f14

WE ARE RECEIVING many enquiries for real estate. May we list your lots? Phone 4245, or call Cree, Sloane & Brentnall, 1021 Government St. f10

APARTMENT SITE wanted, from owners only. Double corner preferred. Francis Investment Co., 426 Sayward Bldg. Phone 1306. f10

CREE, SLOANE & BRENTNALL are in need of some good listing. Call at 1021 Government, or phone 4245. f10

WANTED—9 to 10 acres close to Goldstream. Must be cheap; water available. P. O. Box 931. f10

LISTINGS are required by Cree, Sloane & Brentnall, 1021 Government St., or phone 4245. f10

WANTED—Land in the Peace River District. Send full particulars and price to Box 643, Times. f10

WANTED—HOUSES.

WANTED—From owner, 4 or 5-room house, not over $3,000, $1,000 cash, bal. $25 or $30 monthly, inc. int. Near Willows car preferred. Box 744, Times. f11

WANTED FOR CLIENTS — 4-roomed houses and cheap lots, Burnside district and Victoria West preferred. W. J. Macgregor, 207 Central Bldg. Phone 1318. f11

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—For grocery store, second-hand counter in good condition. Box 727, Times. f10

WANTED—To augment "The Versatiles," talented vocalists, comedians and comediennes; refinement most essential. Apply 1338 Beach avenue, Vancouver, B. C. f10

FUNDS WANTED—I have applications from clients for loans on first mortgage improved city properties, yielding 7 per cent. and up; none exceeding 50 per cent. of value of properties. Kenneth Ferguson, 604 Broughton St. f11

WANTED—Hand and view cameras of all kinds. 1123½ Quadra street. m3

WE ARE THE ONLY BUYERS of ladies' discarded clothing, gowns, etc.; also gentlemen's clothes, boots, valises; highest cash. Phone 4810. 609 Yates St. f26

WANTED—Small cash store, suitable for family to live in back. Particulars, Box 659, Times. f15

DO YOU WANT READY CASH? We are open to purchase agreements of sale. If you wish to realize on your securities, we offer the opportunity. Canada West Trust Co., Ltd., local offices, corner Yates and Douglas streets. o7 tf

JUNK WANTED, JUNK—Auto tires, brass, copper, lead, barrels, sacks, cast iron. We pay absolutely the highest prices. It will pay you to sell to The Great Western Junk Co., 1421 Store St. Phone 449. f22

WANTED—Highest cash price paid for cast-off clothing, boots and shoes, carpenters' tools, pistols, shotguns, trunks, valises, etc. Phone or send a card and we will call at any address. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 572 Johnson street, 6 doors below Government, Victoria, B. C. Phone 1747.

GOOD THINGS

JAMES BAY, six roomed residence on 30 feet near breakwater $3700
BOURCHIER STREET, 208 x 120, with two corners (six lots at $1100 each) $6600
SHELBOURNE STREET, 2 lots near Hillside at, each $1000
PANDORA TO CORMORANT, a fine piece near Government; per foot, only $1000
YATES STREET, 60 feet close to Quadra, only $35,000
CAMBRIDGE STREET, near Faithful. A fine new residence on full size lot, 2 toilets, furnace, Monarch range, brass beds, electric fittings and all carpets and furnishings for $7300

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REAL ESTATE.

IRRIGATED FRUIT AND ALFALFA LAND—$500 will give you possession of ten acres Columbia river irrigated fruit or alfalfa land, ready for planting, no stumps; balance payments on long time, 6 per cent.; will pay for itself and make you a home and good living; going fast. Write or call on E. J. Warner at Strathcona Hotel, Victoria, B. C. j28 tf

$200 CASH—First payment on lot; 3 min. from Hillside car, just off Cook St. Price $1,000. Edwin Frampton, McGregor Bldg., corner View and Broad St. Phone 928. f11

GARAGE SITE for sale on Broad street, close to Johnson; brick building, small alteration necessary. Price and terms right. Size 45x120, with 20 ft. lane. Victoria Subdivision Co., Limited, 414-415 Central Bldg. f10

CENTRAL AVENUE SNAP—One of the best lots on Central, 50x110, high, dry and level, and all in grass. The car line is practically assured and values are due for a big rise shortly. Price for a few days only $1,600. May & Tisseman, 730 Fort St. f10

BREAKWATER BARGAIN—On Michigan street; new bungalow, on lot 62x122, from owner, $6,300. Phone L2991. f12

$1,700, ROSEBERRY STREET—Fernwood, close Hillside car, view lot with oaks. Cash $700, bal. 3, 9 and 15 months. Edwin Frampton, McGregor Blk., View street. Phone 928. f11

$950, CREASE AVENUE—Parkdale, C.N. R. trackage, 1-3 cash and terms. Edwin Frampton, McGregor Bldg., View street. Phone 928. f11

$1,250, CORNER KING'S RD. and Shakespeare, 1-3 cash and terms. Edwin Frampton, McGregor Bldg., View St. Phone 928. f11

$1,600, MADISON AVE.—Richmond Park, choice lot, ⅓ cash and terms. Edwin Frampton, McGregor Bldg., opp. Spencer's, View street. Phone 928. f11

$960, SIMS AVE.—Parkdale, 1-3 cash and terms. Edwin Frampton, McGregor Bldg., corner View and Broad, opp. Spencer's. Phone 928. f11

SOUTH HAZELTON—The future metropolis of Northern B. C. TRAINS are now running from Prince Rupert, making SOUTH HAZELTON a 41½ HOUR journey from Victoria. Call and get one of our handsome books describing SOUTH HAZELTON and surrounding district. Prices from $150 per lot on very easy terms. Get in on the ground floor. Guarantee Realty Co., 732 Fort street. Phone 4632. Open 7 till 9 this evening. f11

JAMES BAY—Close to Dallas road, 200x198, fronting on two streets with lane at side. Price $30,000, on terms. J. C. Browne, Sayward Blk. Phone 2371. f11

ALBERNI ACREAGE—5-acre blocks in the two mile circle, bounded on two sides by the city limits, on three main roads, excellent land, level, no rock, easily cleared, adjoining property is cut up into 33-foot lots and are selling at about the same price that we are asking for an acre. Price $250 per acre, terms very easy. Shaw Real Estate Co., 302 Pemberton Bldg. f11

SUBDIVISION—About 50 acres within the 3 mile circle, beautiful property for a subdivision; $1,800 per acre. Shaw Real Estate Co., 302 Pemberton Building. f11

BLANCHARD ST.—Close to Queen's, 6 rooms; new and modern, on full sized lot. Price $5,700, $1,600 cash, balance $35 per month. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 471. Open evenings. f11

POWELL STREET—Close to Michigan, 5-roomed, new and modern, on nice lot. Price $4,200, $1,000 cash, balance easy. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 471. Open evenings. f11

BLACKWOOD STREET — Through to Stevenson and next to Finlayson, 8 lots. Large lots all level, for $8,500, easy terms. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 471. Open evenings. f11

LINDEN AVE.—Close to Oxford, lot 50x110; $2,600, 1-3 cash, 6, 12 and 18 months. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 471. Open evenings. f11

EDGEWARE ROAD—Close to Hillside car, 5 rooms, new and modern, $3,200, $650 cash. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. f11

PRIOR STREET—Close to King's, five rooms, new and modern; cement basement; on lot 58x108. Price $4,500, terms $750 cash. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 471. Open evenings. f11

5-ROOM BUNGALOW, Ross Bay, lot 50x112, close to sea, 1-minute from car, new and modern; Dutch kitchen, buffet, beamed ceilings, laundry tubs, piped for furnace. $5,600, $1,000 cash. Box 752 Times. f11

FAIRFIELD ESTATE—If you wish to become the owner of a nice 6-roomed house, one that you can call a home, call and see my houses on Joseph St., near May St. car line. Price and terms moderate. Joseph Parker, Contractor, 163 Joseph Street. f11

WILDWOOD AVENUE—A beautiful six-roomed house, new and modern, cement basement, furnace, stationary tubs, pannelled walls, beamed ceilings. All for $5,750, $1,000 cash. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 471. Open evenings. f11

REAL ESTATE.

DO YOU RECOGNIZE A SNAP when you see one. If so you will appreciate our offer of a 50-foot lot on Victoria ave., Oak Bay, at $1,575 on terms. There is nothing wrong with it; it is high, dry and level, but the owner has other payments to make and needs the money. You had better look this up; it will not last long at that price. May & Tisseman, 730 Fort. f10

ARNOLD AVE.—$1,750; Wellington, near May, 50x146, $2,500; Scott, cor. Ryan, 3 lots, 50x110, each $1,100. Owner, Box 796, Times. f11

HOUSES FOR SALE—Ross St., close to car, 5-roomed bungalow, 50x112, fully modern and beautifully finished; price $4,600, cash $1,200, balance to arrange. Roseberry ave., 5-roomed bungalow, modern, 50x129; price $3,800, cash $400, balance $25 per month. Taunton St., 7-roomed house, including furniture, glassware and cutlery, gas range, etc, 61x115; price $5,500, cash $1,500. Dallas Rd., 7-roomed house, 40x120; price $4,500, 1-3 cash, balance monthly. S. A. Grimmond Realty. Phone 4925. f11

LOTS FOR SALE—Amphion St., 64x120, one lot from Oak Bay ave.; price $2,500, mortgage $1,200. McKenzie St., 50x135; price $2,200, usual terms. Fort St., 50x120 to lane; price $2,575. S. A. Grimmond Realty, 1021 Government St., room 8. Phone 4925. f11

BURNSIDE ROAD—Half-acre close to Douglas, $500 under market value, at $4,600. Imperial Realty Co., 545 Bastion street. f11

GORGE—Portage Ave., 56x120, $1,050. Imperial Realty Co., 545 Bastion street. f11

OAK BAY—Owner needs cash, high, dry lot, 50x125 to lane, 2 blocks from Oak Bay ave.; $1,450, only $450 cash. Phone 2883. f11

CAR LINE PROPERTY is safe, sound investment. Dunlevy street, ½-block from Uplands, 50x115; $1,750, easy terms. Colin Powell, 230 Pemberton Blk. f11

NEW COTTAGE—3 rooms and pantry, open fireplace and good cupboards, also out-offices; extra good lot; McKenzie ave., near Swan Lake, $1,600, $550 cash, balance two to three years. Phone to owner, R3833. f11

LINDEN AVENUE—On lot 50x110, new 9-roomed house, fully modern, concrete basement, furnace and wash tubs installed, five bedrooms with large closets off each, linen store, kitchen, pantry with cooler, panelled walls, beamed ceilings and hardwood floors. Price $12,000. Wm. Dunford & Son, Ltd., 311 Union Bank Bldg. Phone 4542. f11

TRANSIT ROAD—Close to sea; lot, 96x226, $5,800, half cash, balance arranged. This lot is beautifully treed and an excellent homesite. No. 92. Wm. Dunford & Son, Ltd., 311 Union Bank Bldg. Phone 4542. f11

200-ACRE ISLAND, between Vancouver Island and Mainland, 10 acres cultivated, 40 acres slashed, 6-roomed house, part new; 1 frame house, 28x24, open fireplace; 1 small house, 12x12; good water, 3 wells, 1 spring flowing; good anchorage, excellent shooting and fishing; steamer passes twice a week; $8,000, one-third cash. Wm. Dunford & Son, Ltd., 311 Union Bank Bldg. Phone 4542. f11

WHY PAY RENT?—We have a new modern house on Wellington street, near Beach Drive, with parlor, dining-room, panelled, hall, oak floors, beautifully finished, ready to move into. We will sell it on very easy terms. Ask to be shown this property. It is at least $2,500 cheaper than similar property on Linden avenue. Heisterman, Forman Co., 1212 Broad St. f11

A FINE DOUBLE LOT in the Work Estate, S.E. cor. Highview and Merritt, lots 1 and 2, 50x120 each. Price $2,200, $650 cash, bal. 6, 12, 18. Cameron Investment & Securities Co., Ltd. f11

EXCHANGE semi-business property on Fisguard St., close in. I have 6-roomed house on 60 ft. lot, rents $420 per year, price $7,500. My equity is $4,000, balance of principal easy terms, will trade for Oak Bay or Foul Bay lots. Apply J. Morgan, 2512 Work St. Phone R4652. f11

SUNNYVALE PARK—Wilkerson road, fine high lots all cleared from $250 up; terms $50 cash and $15 monthly. For the convenience of those unable to look this subdivision over during the week, our auto will leave Clarence hotel corner at 10.30 to-morrow morning. Kindly arrange to be there at that time. Office open Saturday evening. Jenkinson, Hartley & Colby, 603 Sayward Block. Phone 2693. f11

SNAP—Bungalow of 6 rooms, etc., on large lot, fruit trees, small fruits, on improved street. For a few days only at $4,750, terms to arrange. Jenkinson, Hartley & Colby, 603 Sayward Block. Phone 2693. f11

GOOD BUYS, CLOSE IN—Yates St., cor. Cook, 60x120, revenue producing, $36,000; Yates St., between Blanchard and Quadra, 60x120, $57,500; Cormorant St., adjoining Fairfield Block, cor. Douglas St., 60x120, revenue producing, $900 per foot. Knott Bros. & Brown, Ltd., Yates and Blanchard. f11

SEMI-BUSINESS SNAPS—Caledonia ave., close to Quadra, size 26.6x96.6, with good 6-roomed house, only $4,350; Caledonia ave., west of Cook, 60x120, on lane, $6,500; Johnson St., near Vancouver, 46x120, with large house (rent $35), $9,500; Superior, west of Oswego, 45x120, with good 6-roomed cottage (rent $35), can't be beat for $6,500; Cook street, facing Pendergast, 53x120, going at $4,000; Hillside and Higgins, 60x108, revenue producing, $6,000. Knott Bros. & Brown, Ltd. f11

NOTE THESE CAREFULLY—Cor. Seaview and Jones 60x112, for $1,750; cor. Finlayson and Highview, 120 on Finlayson by 100, for $3,000; Oak Bay, cor. Victoria and Hudson, 52x118, for $1,750; cor. Oliver and McNeil, 140x130, a real snap at $5,350; Burnside, close to car line, on Harriott, 50x180, for $1,450. Knott Bros. & Brown, Ltd., Yates and Blanchard. f11

WHERE IS GLANFORD AVE.?—Glanford ave. is in a direct line with Douglas street, and is the nearest way to Royal Oak. f11

ONE-QUARTER ACRE LOTS with fruit trees, inside 1½-mile circle, for $1,200, easy terms. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 471. Open evenings. f11

A BEAUTIFUL HOME, inside 1½-mile circle, in Fairfield, 1½ acres, 12-roomed house, steam heat, etc.; the grounds are in beautiful shape, a grand view of Straits and mountains. This property will make 9 lots, and is a snap at $25,000 on easy terms. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 471. Open evenings. f11

$10 DOWN and $10 per month buys a level, grassy, clear lot in Douglas Park Subdivision, adjoining Mt. Douglas Park, overlooking beautiful Beach, adjoining Shelbourne St. proposed car line. First fifty lots going at $350. Better hurry. Fifteen sold already. Dowsell & McMorran, 712 Cormorant St., Fairfield Bldg. f14

REAL ESTATE.

CADILLAC AVE.—Next to Harriett Rd., full sized lot, $550, cash. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street. Phone 471. Open evenings. f11

FOR SALE—7-room house in James Bay, $6,300, $1,800 cash, balance arranged. The vacant lot is worth $5,000. Law, Butler & Bayley, 207 Central Building. f12

JAMES BAY—Michigan, near Montreal, 120x120 ft. $10,500, 1-3, 6, 12, 18; San Juan ave, 51x100, one five-room house and one three-room, rent for $40, price $4,700, $1,700 cash and arrange. Francis Investment Co., 426 Sayward Block. Phone 1306. f12

WORK ESTATE—Blackwood, near Bay, 50x105, at $1,950, $500 cash; Prior St., $2,000, ⅓ cash, near Bay; Fifth St., between Hillside and King's Rd., 120x129 ft., $4,600, 1-3, 6, 12, 18. Francis Investment Co., 426 Sayward Block. Phone 1306. f12

NINE-ROOM HOUSE in best part of Oak Bay; full-sized lot, 4 bedrooms, beam ceilings, built-in china closets and buffet, two fireplaces, large basement with cement floor, furnace, wash tubs, toilet and Chinaman's room; house has just been redecorated throughout. Price $8,500, terms arranged. Would take approved lot as part payment. See owner at 413 Sayward Bldg. f12

$1,000 UNDER VALUE—Semi-business lot on Quadra street, near Hillside, 45x135 ft.; cheapest lot in the block, is $3,500. We will sell this one on usual terms for $2,500. Yes, we can deliver it and first deposit gets it. T. P. McConnell, 404 Pemberton Bldg. f10

JAMES BAY SNAP—Close to breakwater, lot 6, Sylvia street, 59x107, sacrifice price for this week only $3,500, usual terms. Guarantee Realty Co., 732 Fort street. Phone 4632. f12

PEMBROKE STREET—Lot 4, fine level lot, for 3 days only, $2,500, usual terms. Guarantee Realty Co., 732 Fort street. Phone 4632. f12

MONTEREY AVE.—Close to McNeil, 55x110, price $1,800, terms. Guarantee Realty Co., 732 Fort street. Phone 4632. f12

DEAN HEIGHTS—Splendid double corner, fine view, 180x120, 1 block from car line, price $2,750, terms. Guarantee Realty Co., 732 Fort street. Phone 4632. f12

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on Victoria Ave., Oak Bay, 3 large bedrooms, beam ceilings, built-in china closet and buffet, two fireplaces, walls to be tinted to suit purchaser, full-size basement with furnace and wash tubs. Price $6,800, terms arranged. Would consider lot in good location as part payment. See owner at 413 Sayward Bldg. f12

BE QUICK if you want this! Modern cottage, 4 large rooms, with hall, bath room, two pantries, full basement; house was built two years ago, and is exceptionally well built. Lot is 49x131 with lane in rear. This choice property is located on Oxford street, close to Cook street car line, and only 15 minutes' walk to post office, three minutes to Beacon Hill Park, and five minutes to the beach. Price $3,800, terms $1,200 cash, balance can be arranged to suit purchaser. For further particulars apply John Greenwood, 613 Sayward Block. f12

THE CHEAPEST LOT on Tillicum road, 50x133, for $950, stands high, good view. Terms $350 cash, balance easy. John Greenwood, 613 Sayward Block. f10

DONALD STREET—A fine lot for $900, 50x133, terms third cash, balance easy. John Greenwood, 613 Sayward Block. f10

SEVEN-ROOM HOUSE on Monterey ave., 3 large bedrooms, beam ceilings, built-in china closets and buffet, two fireplaces, walls to be tinted to suit purchaser, full-size cement basement with furnace and wash tubs. Price $6,850, terms arranged. See owner at 413 Sayward Block. f12

FOR SALE—Bungalow, 2 minutes' walk from Burnside car, builder has just started and purchaser can have house finished to suit. Price $3,500, $500 cash, balance $25 per month including interest. Size of lot 50x120, high and dry. R. P. Clark, 1214 Douglas St. Phone 3244. f12

BUILD YOUR OWN HOME—Here are two lots to build it on, in good locality, for only $1,800 each, and are near the "Uplands." G. S. Leighton, Mahon Blk., Government St. f12

DOUBLE CORNER—On Foul Bay road. This is absolutely the cheapest on the market; size 100x120, for only $2,400, with less than 1-3 cash. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Blk. f12

SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW on Victoria ave., Oak Bay, thoroughly up-to-date, beam ceilings, built-in china closets and buffet, three large bedrooms, full-size cement basement with furnace and wash tubs. Price $6,500, terms arranged. Would take approved lot in part payment. See owner at 413 Sayward Block. f12

CORNER—Cadboro Bay Rd. and Maynard St., Lot 1, size 231x175x143. Price $3,000, ⅓ cash, bal. 1 and 2 years. This is an excellent store site. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Block. f12

REVENUE PRODUCING—Hillside ave., size 80x120, two houses rented at $41 each; $9,000, good terms can be arranged. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Blk. f12

JUST OFF COOK ST.—A nice little, 3-roomed house in good locality, inside city limits. Price $1,500, only $300 cash, bal. arranged. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Block. f12

HOUSE—15,000 sq. ft. of orchard, surrounded by a beautiful hedge and commanding a fine view of the city, and ten minutes' walk from post office and three minutes from parliament buildings. Don't wait for all the harbor improvements to get in, start the new year good. Get in on the ground floor. The price for three days, $10,000; very reasonable terms can be arranged for. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Blk. f12

5-ROOMED BUNGALOW, with built-in sideboards, china closet, bookcase, bath, pantry, etc., ½-block from car on Haultain street. Price $3,470, $500 cash, bal. $35 per month, including interest. Guarantee Realty Co., 732 Fort street. Phone 4632. f12

OAK BAY—Oliver street, close to Central, 50x140, beautifully treed; $1,850, $550 cash. Imperial Realty Co., 545 Bastion street. f11

WANTED—Your listings. We have clients' money in our office to invest in acreage, houses, lots or business property. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Blk. f12

BLACKWOOD STREET—Between Bay and King's, 50x108, cheapest close-in property in the city. Price $2,050, $600 cash. Anderson & Jubb, room 7, Green Block, Broad street. f10

CORNER ARNOLD AND HAMLEY—50x120, $1,250, terms. Anderson & Jubb, room 7, Green Block, Broad street. f10

CHEAPEST BUY in Fairfield, 55x137, on Chapman, near Linden, $2,100, easy terms. Anderson & Jubb, room 7, Green Block, Broad street. f10

CRAIGDARROCH ROAD—50x120, $3,500, $875 cash. Anderson & Jubb, room 7, Green Block, Broad street. f10

LINDEN AVENUE—50x110, near Oxford, $2,600, easy terms. Anderson & Jubb, room 7, Green Block, Broad street. f10

RICHMOND AVENUE SOUTH—51x112, $1,450, easy terms. Anderson & Jubb, room 7, Green Block, Broad street. f10

BURNSIDE ROAD CORNER—Inside city limits, 94x130, $6,000, easy terms. Anderson & Jubb, room 7, Green Block, Broad street. f10

IRMA STREET—Between Burnside and Maddock, 50x163, no rock, good view; one of the finest building lots in this section. Price $9,300, easy terms. Anderson & Jubb, room 7, Green Block, Broad street. f10

CORNER TILLICUM AND DAVIDA—140x102, $2,600, easy terms. Anderson & Jubb, room 7, Green Block, Broad street. f10

DEAL STREET—Near Oak Bay hotel, 60x120, $2,000, easy terms. Anderson & Jubb, room 7, Green Block, Broad street. f10

HILLSIDE AVEN. — Close to Douglas, 44x100, on corner of lane, revenue producing, $9,000, terms. Anderson & Jubb, room 7, Green Block, Broad street. f10

REAL ESTATE.

SNAPS—Size 50x185, with a 2-rmd. house, barn and two tents, on Haultain St., for only $1,500; Pinewood, size 45x181, for only $1,400; Hollywood Park, size 50x120, for $1,600. A small cash payment can be arranged for on all the above. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Blk. f12

OAK BAY—Madison St., size 50x125, for only $1,525, 1-3 cash; Pembroke St., 5-rmd. house, for $3,850, $650 cash; Willows Rd., on the car line, 4 rms., for $2,750, $500 cash. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Blk. (Our address after March 15, Campbell Blk.) f12

RICHMOND AVE.—Lot at $1,800. This is good buying. We also have two lots in Richmond Park at $1,500 each. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Blk. (Our address after March 15, 1913, Campbell Block.) f12

CLIVE DRIVE, OAK BAY—Size 69x100, for $1,800. G. S. Leighton, Mahon Blk. f12

LINDEN AVE.—Cheapest buy on street, $2,250. Another near Dallas, $3,100. H. Booth, 2 Bridgman Bldg., 1007 Government. f12

GOOD BUY—Bay St., 50 ft. lot next to corner Shelbourne, for two days $1,575. Phone 2662. f12

FOUL BAY ROAD CORNER—Just north of Fort, 110x160, $3,600, terms. Anderson & Jubb, room 7, Green Block, Broad street. f10

PRIOR, next to King's Road, two lots, 50x115; $1850 each, ¼ cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. f12

MOUNT STEPHEN, between Acton and Ryan, one lot 50x150; price $1250, terms ¼ cash, balance 6, 12, 18 months. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. f12

FOUL BAY ROAD, between Charlton and Gordon, size 50x120; price $1200, terms ¼ cash, balance 6, 12, 18 months. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. f12

CLOSE TO CEDAR HILL ROAD, just outside two mile circle, six lots, 50x173 each; price $525 each, usual terms. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. f12

MOSS STREET, close to the sea, 50x110; price $2600, terms ¼ cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. f12

ALBINA STREET, between Gorge and Burnside, 1 lot, 50x153; price $950, terms ¼ cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. f12

WATERFRONT LOTS on Selkirk Ave., street paved, in Burleith, 50x280, nicely treed; $4500, terms ¼ cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. f12

BROOKE STREET, close to Walton, five rooms, new and modern, on good lot; price $4500, terms $650 cash. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. f12

BAY STREET, 4 rooms, new and modern, on lot 30x110; price $3100, terms $300 cash and $75 every 3 months. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. f12

DALLAS ROAD, close to Moss, 7 rooms, modern, lot 40x120; price $4750, terms $750 cash. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. f12

COOK STREET CORNER, with 8 roomed new and modern house, furnace and everything that is needed to make a comfortable home, on lot 64x116; price $9,000, on easy terms. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates St. Phone 471. Open evenings. f12

WILLOWS—A good 3 roomed cottage, between two car lines. A bargain at $1,600, ¼ cash, nice lot. Grubb & Letts. f10

ANOTHER AT NORTH END—A nice 3 roomed cottage, open fireplace, pantry, etc., on large lot; ¼ cash, balance easy. Grubb & Letts. f10

GOOD BUILDING LOT on Shakespeare street, near Haultain; price $1,100, easy terms. Grubb & Letts, 205 Central Bldg. f10

EASY TERMS on 8 room house in Fairfield district, new and modern; price only $5300. Would take equity in lot as part payment. R. J. Hurst & Co., 303 Central Building. f12

SNAP—53x141, on Quadra near Finlayson, for $1850. Less desirable and smaller lots close by have sold for $2,000. R. J. Hurst & Co., 303 Central Building. f12

FIFTH ST.—Near Finlayson, 50x119, for $1050, on terms. R. J. Hurst & Co., 303 Central Building. f12

SHOAL BAY WATERFRONT LOTS are very scarce. Buy at once before prices are much higher. We have some of the best left, on easy terms. Bunnett & Co., 329 Pemberton Building. Phone 228. f12

BAY STREET—Beautiful lot, 60x110, for $1,675. Phone Diggon 243, to-morrow. f10

COLE BAY, SAANICH, NEAR—50 acres, with 1,000 ft. waterfront. If you want a snap secure this at $425 per acre; adjoining acreage cannot be bought under $850 per acre. Box 792 Times. f12

COR. McNEILL AND VICTORIA, Oak Bay, 50x110, to 15 foot lane; $1750. Compare this with surrounding values. Owner, 311 Union Bank. Phone 4542. f12

$200 CASH—First payment on lot 3 minutes from Hillside car, just off Cook St. Price $1,000. Edwin Frampton, McGregor Building, corner View and Broad streets. Phone 928. f12

$500 CASH secures well built, smartly finished, three roomed bungalow on full-sized lot, on 1½ mile circle, close car. Balance monthly; 820 Fort street. f15

SUMMERSET ST.—Do you know a lot on this street is a snap at $975? 1-3, 6, 12, 18. It lays level with fruit trees. This section is due for a big rise now; it is close in and in line of growth. A. D. Hawkins & Co., 218 Sayward Blk. Tel. 1228. f12

THINK—1½ miles from city hall is close in. Go out and see what a fine residence section North Quadra and Finlayson St. is becoming, and buy this corner at $1,500, 1-3, 6, 12, 18; paved street. A. D. Hawkins & Co., 218 Sayward Blk. Tel. 1228. f12

NEW HOME COTTAGE bungalow, consisting of six rooms, three bed chambers, hall, living and dining, with Dutch kitchen, built-in ironing board, clothes shute, beam ceiling, panelled walls, plate rail, hardwood floor, walls tinted, window shades, light fixtures, fireplace and hot water heat. This is first-class. You must see it. Price terms moderate. You can't beat it in town. Call Mr. Cole to-night or to-morrow. Telephone 1897. f12

APARTMENT and store sites, Cook St. and Craigflower Rd., also 500 acres one and a half miles from Cowichan Station. R. & G., 1526 Cook St. Phone L1786 or 82. f22

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FURNISHED HOUSE—Close in, block from car, less than half-mile from city hall, fully modern, with 6 rooms, $50 monthly. John Greenwood, 613 Sayward Block. f10

LOST—Near Beacon Hill, small black hand satchel containing eyeglasses with chain and small sum of money. Reward at Box 408, Times. f12

TO LET—Nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, near Fort St. car. 1403 Harrison St. Phone 1983. f15

FOR SALE—2-ton truck, nearly new. 1403 Harrison St. f15

WANTED—City salesman, good opportunity for a man who wants to get a good connection with a growing concern. 41 Pandora. Ask for sales manager. f12

$250 CASH will handle the finest little restaurant business in this town. Don't miss this; cheap rent. Mettler-Reehling Co., 22 Green Block, 1216 Broad. f12

FOR RENT—Nice room, $3 per week, for 2, car stops at door; 1616 Dallas Rd. f12

SHACKLETON CANNOT BELIEVE IN REPORT

BELIEVE SCURVY WAS THE INDIRECT CAUSE

Raould Amundsen Thinks Death of Exploring Party Incredible and Horrible

New York, Feb. 10.—"I cannot believe it is true. It is inconceivable that an expedition as well equipped as Captain Scott's could have perished before a blizzard," Lieut. Sir Ernest Shackleton, the British explorer and one-time associate of Captain Scott, so expressed himself to-day when shown the dispatches from New Zealand telling of the fate of Captain Scott and party.

"What I have always feared most was scurvy," he added. "One of Captain Scott's men died some time ago of scurvy and it is possible that the others were weakened by the disease and so fell victims to the storm. This is the only way I can explain it.

"Captain Scott," he continued, "was a most efficient and careful explorer. I served under him as a third lieutenant in a polar expedition three years ago."

Madison, Wis., Feb. 10.—"Horrible, horrible. I can hardly believe it," said Captain Raould Amundsen when he received from the Associated Press news of the disaster to Captain Scott and his party. The captain said he was too dazed to speak, but finally said:

"It is hard to believe this. There must be some horrible mistake. It seems incredible that such a large party should perish in this way."

"Correct, correct," was Amundsen's comment when he was told of Scott's discovery of the Norwegian flag left by Amundsen. He gave full credit to the report that Scott had found the pole. He said he was not personally acquainted with Scott—had never seen him, but referred to him as a brave, fine man.

The experiment of engaging women clerks recently tried by the railway clearing house has proved so successful that a further number have now been engaged.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

TO LET—Two unfurnished front rooms, one minute from car; 216 Mary St. f15

OLD ESTABLISHED FIRM have vacancy for a first class real estate salesman; must know city thoroughly, no others need apply. A man with own car preferred. Box 4676 Times. f12

TWO modern housekeeping rooms, furnished; $15 month. Holt, 1303 Broad. f15

BE INDEPENDENT—Start a cut-rate grocery business of your own. Redpath's granulated sugar, 4 cents pound. No capital required. Earn $25 weekly with few hours work. Outfit free. The Consumers' Association, Windsor, Ont. f15

$600 WANTED IMMEDIATELY; first mortgage; good security. P. O. Box 922. f15

WANTED—Strong boy, about 17 years of age, to learn plumbing trade. A. Sheret, 1114 Blanchard street. f10tf

WE HAVE just opened a rental department, together with our general realty business, and have, at present, a long list of people that are waiting for houses. If you have a house that you want to rent, anywhere in the city, call up 504 and ask for Sommer, the rent man. Victoria Subdivision Company, Ltd., 414-415 Central Building. f15

WANTED FOR A CLIENT—An improved country place, about ten acres; Saanich preferred. If prices and terms are right we have buyers. Shaw Real Estate Co., 302 Pemberton Block. f12

A BRUSH HAND wants work. Box 780 Times. f12

REMINGTON TYPEWRITER, No. 7, for sale. Will sell cheap for cash. Address 779 Times. f12

LOST—Lady's black hand bag, between 4.30 and 5 p.m. Sunday. Please return to 824 View St. f12

TO RENT—6-room house on Trent St. Apply Tim Kee, 1709 Govt. St. f12

GOOD TABLE BOARD with single and double bedrooms. Well heated, plenty hot water, modern conveniences. Very moderate rates; close in. 2630 Quadra. Phone L4610. f11

FOR RENT—Four-roomed cottage, near car terminus. Griffiths, Holly St., Oaklands. f12

PARTNER wanted to go in on 3-acre chicken ranch, 9 miles out. Apply F. G. Luxton, P. O. f12

A BOY architectural student wanted by Crawford Coates, architect, 512 Bastion Square. f12

LOST—Small black purse containing notes, on Saturday afternoon, vicinity Douglas. Return 901 Burdette ave. Suitable reward. f12

HOUSE TO RENT—A nine-roomed house on Fort St. car line, newly painted and papered; rent $40 per month. Lease can be had. Apply Bagshawe & Co., 224 Pemberton Building. Phone 2271. f12

WANTED—Figure on brick work for garage, labor only. Dandridge, Oak Bay avenue. f15

YOUNG business gentleman wants room and board, private family, by 25th Feb. Location near Hereward road, city limits. Reply, E859 View street. f15

FURNISHED ROOM, 342 Michigan. Phone R914. fw15

MATERNITY NURSE—Cases wished for by certified C.M.D. nurse. Terms moderate. Phone 4820. Mrs. Evans, Montrose Rooms, Blanchard street. f15

DIED

WADDINGTON—On the 5th inst., at the family residence, 15 Dallas Ave., Eleanor, beloved wife of Frederick Waddington, aged 41 years. Born Bradford, Yorkshire, England.

The funeral will take place from the residence on Tuesday at 2 p. m., to Christ church, where service will be held at 2.30, interment taking place at Ross Bay cemetery.

STRATFORD—On the 9th inst., at St. Joseph's hospital, James Campbell Stratford, aged 65 years. Born at Woodstock, Ontario.

The funeral will take place from the B. C. Funeral Co.'s chapel on Wednesday, February 12th, at 2.30 p. m., where service will be held. Interment in Ross Bay cemetery.

HALL—On the 9th inst., at the family residence, 402 Garbally road, Rev. Joseph Hall, aged 70 years. Born at Binbrook, Ontario.

The funeral will take place Wednesday, February 12th.

FORTY SENATORS TO PARADE MARCH THIRD

Washington, D. C., Feb. 10.—Carried captive behind a banner inscribed "Women Helped Elect These Men," members of congress from those states having suffrage will march in the suffragist parade March 3rd. It was announced at national suffragist headquarters to-day that at least forty senators and representatives would be in the procession. All who desire to take part, however, are cordially invited to do so in a letter of invitation sent them to-day by the suffragists.

Personal

Mrs. Harold S. Gaunce, 132 Moss street, will be at home on the second Thursday of every month.

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A pretty wedding was solemnized at Clayoquot on the evening of Wednesday, February 5, between William Simpson, Clayoquot, seventh son of Mr. and Mrs. James Simpson, 611 Superior street, Victoria, and Annie Eliza Henderson, of Nanaimo, late of Shawlands, Glasgow, Scotland. The bride was given away by Mr. Fred Davidson, of Tofino. The bride looked charming in white and carried a lovely bouquet of carnations. She was attended by Miss Ethel Gerrard, of Tofino, also in white with a spray of cattleyas at her breast. The groom was attended by R. K. Donaldson, of North Vancouver. The Rev. Leslie Todd officiated. On the completion of the ceremony an excellent supper was served in Clayoquot hotel. Music and dancing followed. Mr. and Mrs. Simpson will be at home at Clayoquot after March 1.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING.

Status of Cadet Corps Movement in Public Schools Under Consideration.

The order paper at the monthly meeting of the Victoria school board set for Wednesday is not likely to produce any matter of special moment. The schools are started out now comfortably for the term and there is not expected to be any special reason for the introduction of new matter to the board. Probably as a result of the circular sent out by the department of education with regard to the application of the principle of the Strathcona trust to practical education in British Columbia, it will be found there are three or four boys' schools in the city where they are sufficient lads to form and operate a corps. Thereby through competition it is proposed to improve the status of those lads who are already formed into corps in this city. Victoria is as yet only at the beginning of this movement, and when it expands, the schools have the material physically to create as effective a series of companies as could be desired.

HINT TO LADIES.

Ladies, do not follow fashion too closely by wearing shoes without straps—especially when our streets are in their customary state of "liquidity"—else your fate may be the same as befell a certain young lady recently at Glasgow. There was a mild rush for one of the cars, and our heroine stepped on first, but some individual behind, with more eagerness than delicacy, jumped on to one of her shoes, with the result that it fell on the tram rails. Its owner immediately quitted the car and hopped on to the pavement, while a friend who was with her made a dive to rescue the missing property.

But, alas! at this moment another car approached. With tragic swiftness it bore down upon the hapless footgear, and with automatic precision cut it in half. In this condition it was restored to its distressed owner, who was meanwhile trying to emulate a stork. A taxi was soon hailed—but there's the moral.—Glasgow News.

It is claimed that Lake Erie produces more fish to the square mile than any body of water in the world.

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50x120, Alexander Ave., facing Uplands. Price $1,500
70x150, Bowker Ave. ... $2,650
120x104, Bowker Ave., corner Hampshire Rd. Price $5,000
80x108, King George Terrace, splendid view $2,250

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BURNSIDE SNAPS

$650—New B. C. E. Rail, close to car, inside three mile circle; lots for a quick sale $650; cash $150 and monthly terms. These will be worth much more in a few weeks when cars start.

$950—Hampton Rd., close to Parkdale and car line, nice lot; $250 cash and terms.

$850—Albina St., between Burnside and Hampton; ½ cash, 6, 12 and 18 months.

$800—Parkdale, corner lot, worth $1,000; ½ cash, bal. 6, 12, 18 mos.

$1000—Parkdale, 2 lots, Crpase Ave. C. N. R.); cash $250; $25 a month.

$950—Parkdale, Battleford Ave.; ½ cash and 6, 12 and 18 months. Snap.

NEAR HILLSIDE CAR

$1,000—Summit Ave., 3 lots off Cook str et; cash $200, size 50x110. Snap this.

$850—Doncaster Drive, near Hillside car, 50x112; cash $250.

$3,000—Nearly ½ acre, best part of Smith's Hill, lovely views; ¼ cash balance 6, 12, and 18.

$2950—Topaz and Fifth St., corner; ¼ cash, usual terms.

DOUGLAS CAR TERMINUS

$1325—High corner, 2 min. Douglas St.; ¼ cash and terms. Oak St. and Vine.

$950—Alder St., off Cloverdale, nice building lot, close store; cash $250.

$950—Bethune Ave., Cloverdale, five minutes to car, orchard lot; quarter cash and terms.

Attention, House Hunters—Cash $300 handles brand new home, 4 rooms, bath and toilet, city water, wired for light, septic tank, lot 50 x120, lovely situation, side of hill, with trees, 2 minutes from Douglas car terminus; price $2,900, balance $20 per month.

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$1400—Trent Street, off Fort, lot 50x120.

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Duly instructed by H. C. Conner, Esq., will sell by

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at his Farm, North Saanich, on Thursday, February 13, at 1 o'clock, the whole of his

Live Stock, Poultry, Farming Implements and Household Furniture

Including:

Two very good Grade Cows, Jersey Heifer, Bay Gelding about 1,000 pounds, 150 White Orpingtons, 75 Barred Rocks from prize-winning stock, Pen of Black Orpingtons, 5 Tons Hay, 2 Cypher Incubators (144 eggs) 2 Jubilee Brooders, Horse, Wagon and pair of Bolster Springs, 2-Wheeled Cart, Plough, Cultivator, "Planet" jun. Drill and Cultivator, Spray Pump, Grindstone, Farm Scales, Gent's and Lady's Rudge Whitworth Bicycles, Harness, 150 Strawberry Crates, 50 Cedar Posts, Churn, Butter Worker, Farm and Garden Tools, "Lorain" Range, Mission Dining Suite, Mission Desks, 2 Bedroom Suites, Wicker Chairs, Lamps, Carpets, Rugs and other goods too numerous to mention.

Take the morning train to Sidney, a conveyance will meet the train. Lunch will be served on the grounds.

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As cheese, butter and eggs there's a distinction in both quality and price at the West End. See our special provision window to-day, then come in and buy your week-end supplies.

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Armour's best, put up in 100 lb. box, for your poultry, at $4 per 100 lbs.; smaller quantities 5 cts. Feed now and fill your egg basket.

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A new, seven-room, modern house, on a large lot in the Fairfield District, overlooking the water. This house is designed after the bungalow style, and is spacious as well as beautiful.

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All kinds of insurance written. Money to loan.

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Duly instructed by Henry Pearce, Esq., who is leaving for Europe, will sell by

Public Auction

At his Residence, Oak Bay Avenue (Capt. Woolley's House) on

Thursday and Friday February 27 and 28

The whole of his valuable

Household Furniture and Effects

Including Examples of Sheraton, Chippendale, Early Victorian, etc., about 1,000 oz. of Silverware, signed Artists' Proofs; Water Colors, Wines and other goods too numerous to mention.

New Gerhard Heintzman Player Piano. Best library of music seen in British Columbia.

For further particulars and catalogues (which are just going to press) apply to

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Auction Sale

on

TUESDAY NEXT

at 2 p. m. at our rooms, 720 View St.

FURNITURE AND EFFECTS

Including: Golden Oak Sideboard, Golden Oak Bookcase, Buffet, Ladies' Combination Secretary and Bookcase, Golden Oak Toilet Washstands, Extension Tables, Breakfast Table, Queen Kitchen Table, three beautiful Etchings, Cheval and other good Dressers, Davenport, Upholstered in green plush Velour, Chiffoniers, Dressing Tables and Chair, Rockers, Morris and Dining Chairs, large Mission Clock Magazine Stands, Roller Top Desk, Drop-Head Sewing Machine, several good Carpet Squares and Linoleums, Blankets, Sheets, Spreads, Comforts and Pillows, Bedsteads, Cooking Utensils, Ranges, Stoves, Heating, etc., etc. Also at commencement of sale some nice White Rock Chickens.

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Stewart Williams & Co.

Duly instructed, will hold their annual weekly sale this week

To-morrow, Feb 11

(instead of Wednesday, on account of the Live Stock Sale at Sidney on Thursday) at 2 o'clock, when they will dispose of a quantity of

Household Furniture and 5 Doz. of Flowering Plants

Including Hyacinths, Tulips, and Narcissus.

The Auctioneer Stewart Williams

MAYORALTY APPEAL IS DUE TO-MORROW

APPLICATION TO DECLARE SEAT VACANT

Counsel Will Ask Court to Set Aside Judgment of County Court Judge

There is a great deal of interest taken in the appeal which will be made in Mr. Morley's behalf against the ruling of His Honor Judge Lampman in the county court. By that ruling the petitioner, the present mayor, occupies his seat at the council board, and with a view to questioning the jurisdiction of the judge to seat any candidate under the cirsumstances disclosed when the recount took place, the appeal is now taken.

Chief Justice Macdonald has set to-morrow for the hearing of this case, which in several ways has already engaged the attention of the county and supreme courts, and now reaches the appellate court of the province at a special sitting. F. A. McDiarmid will appear on behalf of the ex-mayor, and will ask for an order declaring the seat vacant. Mayor Beckwith will again be represented by H. A. Maclean, K. C.

After the failure of the injunction proceedings on Tuesday taken in the name of an official of the Voters' League, a direct appeal followed. The judge refused to entertain the idea of sitting as a court of appeal on the court below, and at once told the plaintiff's solicitor recourse must be made to other means.

The Germans, comparatively, do not eat much bread. On many tables of well-to-do persons it is never eaten at the principal meal of the day.

AUCTION SALE

At 1144 Yates Street, City

Edwards & Fuller

Auctioneers, 1109 Fort Street

have been instructed by Mrs. Edwards, who is leaving, to sell at the above address on

Wednesday Next

at 2 o'clock all the

Furniture and Utensils

Including 3 Bedsteads and Mattresses, Dressers, Washstands, Carpets, Pictures, Dining Table, Side Table, Cooking Range, China and Kitchen Utensils; also a small quantity of Old China and Silver, and 3 Pairs Chickens.

Particulars may be obtained of the Auctioneers

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City Market, Fisguard Street

EVERY TUESDAY.

For Live Stock, Poultry, Implements, Etc.

SALE AT 2 P. M.

JOSEPH H. LIST Auctioneer.

741 Pandora Street.

"THE SHRINE OF FASHION"

FIVE MORE UNLOADING DAYS

Will Bring This Sale to a Close

Read this ad carefully over and you will come with the many eager purchasers starting to-morrow morning and that will continue to overcrowd our store for these last five days of our "$50,000 overstocked" eleven-day Unloading Sale. Prices may seem ridiculous to you but we must enforce urgent unloading. We have reassembled all odd lot, broken lines, soiled garments, discontinued lines, etc., of high class ladies' and children's outfitting which we will feature at prices lower than ever. As well as some 400 Travelers' Samples of Spring model Suits. Remember, this Unloading Sale only lasts another five days. Don't put off a day, but be among the early shoppers to-morrow morning for the best of satisfaction.

$17.50 buys a $30 Spring Suit

Such an unheard-of offering so early in the season, and for new, up-to-the-moment styles—not left-overs or last season's Suits, but fresh, newly unpacked Spring Model Suits, that are correct in every detail, designed by the most experienced cutters and finished throughout with the best of workmanship. Styles showing the new cut-away, decidedly short coat and new skirt features. Materials are Bedford Cords, Whipcords, etc., in one or two-color striped effects. All have silk serge lining and would regularly sell at $25.00 and $30.00. Unloading Price..$17.50

$50 to $75 Evening Coats $20

For final unloading we have priced all our regular $45.00, $50.00, $60.00 and $75.00 Novelty Opera and Evening Cloaks at this ridiculous low figure. Directly imported showing, the best of workmanship and materials, cut by the best of noted designers in many pleasing effects, self, braided, and appliqued effects, in all the lighter shades in a goodly variety. Remember these are exclusive in style and regular to $75.00, starting to-morrow at 8.30, unloading price $20.00

Furs to Unload at $3.75

In best of quality mink marmot, in different style throws and muffs, good colors in light and dark browns, self or tail trimmings. Regular $9.00, $10.00 and $12.00. Only a few to unload at....$3.75

All other better quality furs at half price and less during balance of this unloading sale.

Travelers' Samples of Novelty Coats at Half

In long seven-eighths length, in fine quality peau de soie silks, and all-over appliqued effects; styles are very numerous, featuring deep novelty collar and turn-back cuff effects; shown in black only. Regular prices $45 to $100. Unloading prices $22.50 to $50.00

Silk and Satin Underskirts at Half-Price and Less

An excellent variety of serviceable quality imported satin and silk underskirts in an over-abundance of colors and styles. At $4.35 and $7.50 you will find values worth double, and as well as these we have the less expensive lines priced for unloading.

Children's Hose 3 Pairs for $1

In Penman's celebrated Little King brand, in fine 1 and 1 rib, all wool, seamless cashmere; a guaranteed fast color hose, in black and tans; all sizes, from 5 inch to 8½, regularly sold as high as 45c. Unloading price, 3 pairs for $1.00

25c For Hosiery Oddments to 50c

In ladies' and children's sizes, in all wool, seamless cashmere, fine lisle and cotton threads; plain blacks and tans or embroidered and lace effects. Although these are all odd left-over stocks, there is a full range of sizes. Regular 40c to 50c. Unloading price .....25¢

50c for Penman's 75c Hosiery

In fine, all wool seamless knit cashmere hose, full fashioned leg, in all blacks or with natural wool sole; sizes 8½ to 10 inch, and regular 75c quality. Unloading price .....50¢

Spring Model Suits at $25, $27.50 and $37.50

Above prices are well represented in a large variety of the natty spring styles, showing the new belted at back and cut-away effects; materials are in large variety of fashions, newest suiting weaves, in an abundance of colors, as well as a goodly showing of plain grey and navy serges, strongly featured this season. Regular prices $35 to $50. Unloading prices $25, $27.50 and.....$37.50

Ladies' Gingham Wash Dresses Unloading at $2.50 and $3.50

AT $2.50—Slightly soiled gingham and chambray dresses in ladies' sizes, self contrasting and embroidery trimmed; good fitting; all the lighter shades. Regular to $10. Unloading at ..$2.50

AT $3.50—Comprising similar styles as above, in fine quality chambrays, linens, etc., nicely trimmed and well finished; these have regularly sold from $10 to $17.50. Unloading at....$3.50

Swiss Knit Combinations at $1.35

Regular sold as high as $2.50; in fine imported Swiss knit combinations; have fancy embroidered yokes in no-sleeve, knee or ankle length styles while others are high neck, short sleeves, button down front styles; in light cream color. Regular $2.00 and $2.50. Unloading at $1.35

45c For Vests and Drawers to 85c

In wool and cotton mixtures, good wearing quality in a medium weight; vests come long sleeves in white or cream, with natural or white drawers, in open or closed styles. Regular 85c. Unloading price .....45¢

25c For Fancy Undervests to 50c

In fine cotton and lisle weaves, have fancy or plain yokes, in short or long sleeves. Regular 35c to 50c. Unloading price .....25¢

French Model Suits, Model Coats Can Now Be Seen in Mantle Section

Finch & Finch

LADIES' OUTFITTERS

Yates Street Yates Street

Now Showing Advance Styles in Spring Millinery

DE WOLF HOPPER DIVORCED.

Offers No Defence to Charge Made by Fourth Wife, Mrs. Bella Hopper.

The Dramatic Mirror, commenting on the granting of an interlocutory decree of divorce to Mrs. Nella Bergen Hopper on January 17, says that William De Wolf Hopper offered no defence to the charge made by his wife, and the action went by default.

To the published report that she was named as a co-respondent in the action for divorce brought by Edna Wallace Hopper in 1895, Mrs. Hopper, who is his fourth wife, made a formal protest through her counsel, Samuel B. Hamburger, contending that the cause of action filed by her predecessor, Edna Wallace Hopper, was desertion, and not based on statutory grounds, she insisted that the records show that, although she was a member of Mr. Hopper's company at the time of the third divorce, she (Mrs. Nella Hopper) in no wise figured in the action, or was alluded to in the testimony.

Don't find fault. You probably couldn't do half as well as the people your criticise.

STRANDED.

In the days when the Clyde was navigable to Glasgow for only small vessels, a steamer stuck in the mud near Renfrew and the skipper was not sparing in strong language. While waiting for the rising tide he saw a little girl approaching the river with a bucket to fetch some water. This was too much for the poor captain, and, leaning over the side, he thus addressed her: "If you tak' ae drap o' water oot here till I get afloat I'll warm yer ear for't."—Scottish-American.